

The Weather
Forecast for Ohio: Cloudy and much colder tonight; probably snow or rain in extreme south west portion. Tomorrow snow in north and central portions.

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FIGHT TO SAVE PUBLIC'S MONEY NOW UNDER WAY

Thousands of Investors are Caught in "Bucket Shop" Operations

TO CLEAN HOUSE

Stock Exchange Issues Warning Against Rule-Breaking Firms

New York, Feb. 11.—State and county officers and officials of the New York stock exchange today announced they had begun a fight to the finish to save the investments of thousands of men and women in every state in the union who entrusted their funds to members of the Wall street "bucket shop ring" within the past few weeks.

Twenty-five brokerage firms, the majority of them members of the ring, went to the wall within the last two months after being caught in the rising market. It is estimated that total liabilities of these shops will be more than \$25,000,000 and only one of that number is expected to pay as much as fifty cents on the dollar to its creditors. Customers of the majority of the other shops will lose their all—in some cases, that represents the savings of a life time.

The grand jury now in session is expected to return indictments against several prominent firms that have been active in soliciting business by mail and the long distance telephone from investors in every city in the country.

The "bucket shop ring" has become so brazen that Seymour L. Cromwell, president of the New York stock exchange has issued a warning to all members that bucketting operations will not be tolerated.

In an exclusive interview given to the International News Service, M. Cromwell explained the efforts that the exchange is making to clean house of all firms that will not abide by the rules. He continued:

"We shall clean our own house; then if the public wishes to trade outside it does so at its own risk. We are regulating the exchange. It is up to the authorities in every community to see that outside brokers obey the law."

A committee of stock exchange members, alarmed at the widespread activities and boldness of the "bucket shop ring" is preparing a report that will be submitted to the main group within the next week it is believed. This report, it is learned, will advocate that all exchange firms be required to make statements at regular intervals, similar to those required of banks, showing their financial condition and scope of operations.

While the stock exchange officials have been quietly trying to sort the goats from the sheep within the exchange walls, the offices of the district attorney and attorney general of the state have been besieged by persons with hard luck tales of loss incurred in "the street" within the past fortnight.

FIRST CONFERENCE OF RAIL WORKERS AND MINERS FEB. 21

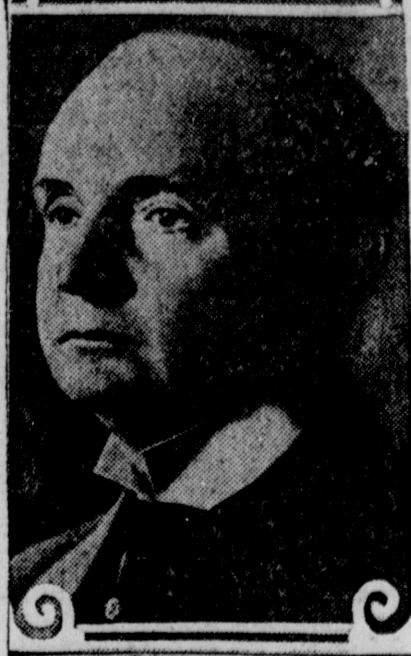
Fifteen of Sixteen Major Rail Unions Have Accepted.

Indianapolis, Feb. 11.—The first conference between coal miners and railroad workers for the purpose of forming a "defensive alliance" will be held in Chicago, Feb. 21, John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America, announced today. Lewis announced that fifteen of the sixteen major railroad unions have accepted the invitation of the mine workers to the conference. Attached to miners headquarters declined to reveal which of the rail unions has not yet accepted Lewis invitation, but the union chief said "there are reasons to believe" that the sixteenth railroad organization will accept shortly.

RUN DOWN TIP ON TAYLOR'S VALET

Fresno, Cal. Feb. 11.—Sheriff W. F. Jones of Fresno county left here early today with a posse to surround a cabin at a point on the San Joaquin river where a rancher reported a man giving the name of Sands and answering the description of Edward Sands, sought in the W. D. Taylor murder mystery at Los Angeles, had been living the past few days. J. M. Cobb, the rancher, declares the man in the river cabin answered the police bulletin description of Sands in all major particulars. Sheriff Jones was so impressed by Cobb's story he decided to question the man at once to ascertain whether he is the missing valet-secretary.

HERE IS MAYOR OLES OF YOUNGSTOWN



Mayor George L. Oles.

Meet Mr. George L. Oles who recently took office as Mayor of Youngstown, Ohio, following his election on a freak platform which provided for discontinuance of street car services, turning the streets over to jitney busses and permitting "spoonying" in city parks under police protection. He was unknown politically in Youngstown five months ago but used liberal newspaper advertising space in getting himself before the public.

ITALY AWAITS REPLY OF U. S. TO INVITATION

Genoa Economic Conference Is Still Not Decided.

REPORTS DISCREDITED

Do Not Believe Ambassadors Will Participate in Meeting.

Rome, Feb. 11.—The Italian foreign office is anxiously awaiting a reply from Washington to the invitation to participate in the international economic conference at Genoa. While no communication has been received, officials declared, today, they expect to hear from the American state department within 48 hours.

Italian officials attach no credence to reports from Paris that Myron T. Herrick, the American ambassador to France and George Harvey, American ambassador to Great Britain, may be appointed observers at the meeting to report all their decisions back to Washington. Italy expects that America will either participate actively in the meeting or else refrain from representation entirely.

Italy's political situation makes it doubly difficult for her to deal with conference matters. Premier Bonomi has consented to retain office with his old cabinet, but next Thursday he must face the chamber of deputies on the question of general policy. If the chamber votes lack of confidence in the Bonomi ministry it will be withdrawn, which will leave Italy without a government once again.

ATTENDS MEETING OF THIS DISTRICT

D. B. John, local agent for the R. L. Dollings company, has returned from Dayton where he attended a district meeting of the company agents. He held this week. Two hundred and fifty members from Ohio, Pennsylvania and Indiana, were present at the meeting.

"Uncle Dave" John as he is known among Dollings representatives, was elected president of the Century Club at a recent meeting in Indianapolis. The club is composed of agents and salesmen for the company, who sell \$100,000 worth or more of the Dollings securities each year. Mr. John has been a member of the club five years, or since its organization in 1917.

A recent issue of "The Digest," official publication of the Dollings company contains an article entitled "Successful Salesmanship," written by Mr. John.

CIVIL WAR VETERAN DEAD

Cadiz, Feb. 11.—Lafayette F. Martin, Civil war veteran and ex-sheriff of Harrison county, is dead here.

PUBLIC SALE DATES

- Feb. 14—Big Type P. C. Assn.
- Feb. 15—J. W. Dice.
- Feb. 15—Carter & Cummings.
- Feb. 16—J. H. Penewit.
- Feb. 16—F. L. Earley.
- Feb. 17—C. C. Brown.
- Feb. 17—Geo. H. Cresswell.
- Feb. 17—Gerlaugh & Shawhan.
- Feb. 20—Florence Fields.
- Feb. 20—F. S. Dale.
- Feb. 21—W. E. Alexander.
- Feb. 21—Ritehour, Frame & Smith.
- Feb. 22—L. V. Henderson.
- Feb. 23—A. E. Swaby.
- Feb. 24—Charles Kinsey.
- Feb. 28—Mesecher & Hull.

SENATE WILL NOT SHOW UNDUE HASTE TOWARD TREATY RATIFICATION

Preliminary Survey of Work of Armament Conference and Study of Seven Treaties Are Begun On Saturday Morning.

HARDING LEAVES IMPRESSION

Consideration of Documents Starts Under Propitious Circumstances, Senators of Both Parties Admit Following Address.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The four power Pacific treaty unexpectedly provoked a stormy session of the senate foreign relations committee today when the members began a preliminary survey of the new international agreements evolved by the armament conference.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The treaty between the United States and Japan to settle long-standing differences over the administration of the Island of Yap, the most important cable station in the Pacific was signed at the state department at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon.

Washington, Feb. 11.—A preliminary survey of the work of the armament conference and a study of the seven treaties which are the tangible results of its deliberations were begun today, by the senate foreign relations committee.

Although consideration of the treaties begins under propitious circumstances which senators of both parties attribute largely to the favorable impression created by the address of President Harding in submitting the pacts, it was indicated today that there would be no undue haste in securing the senate's ratification of the new international agreements.

No decisions by the committee, except perhaps as to the order in which the various pacts should be considered, and acted upon, were anticipated. It was believed however that the naval treaty would be the first to be disposed of, in view of the expectation that it will meet with the least opposition and of the desire of house and senate leaders to make pending navy appropriations conform to it.

The desire of the committee members to first familiarize themselves with all the complex details of the different treaties before being called upon to pass final judgment upon them will probably preclude any immediate action on them. Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, member of the America delegation and the committee chairman, is going away tonight for a much needed rest after his labors during the three months of the conference, and he does not plan

NEW POPE WILL BE CROWNED ON SUNDAY IN ROME

Final Plans for Coronation Are Now Completed.

Rome, Feb. 11.—Final plans for the coronation of Pope Pius XI were completed today at the Vatican. The pontiff will be crowned tomorrow, with the triple tiara of the papacy amidst pomp and ceremony that date back for centuries. No crown in all the royal families of Europe is more elaborate than the tiara which is worn by the sovereign pontiffs of the Roman Catholic church. It contains more than six hundred gems—emeralds, topazes, rubies, pearls, garnets, diamonds and sapphires. It is surmounted by a gem encrusted cross and bears the papal coat of arms blazing with precious jewels. There was a tremendous demand for tickets especially on the part of the American and other visitors in Rome.

The two American cardinals who arrived too late for the conclave—Cardinal O'Connell of Boston and Cardinal Dougherty of Philadelphia, will both participate in the coronation rites.

The pontificate of Pope Pius XI will date from the time he has been crowned.

HURT IN AUTO CRASH

Oberlin, Feb. 11.—Mrs. Nicholas Vander Pyl, wife of the pastor of the United Church here, sustained three fractured ribs and Mrs. Fred Bohn, wife of an Oberlin college professor, received severe injuries to one of her thighs when an auto, driven by Dr. Vander Pyl, crashed into an auto which stopped suddenly on Clifton Boulevard, Cleveland.

WILL OPEN PLANT

East Palestine, Feb. 11.—A preserving plant is to be opened here by J. R. Coll and R. C. Cochran, of Pittsburgh.

to return before Thursday. He is to deliver an address in Boston during his absence in which he expects to express his views on the conference.

The statement of Senator Borah, Republican, Idaho, one of the "irreconcilables" members, that he intended to support the naval treaty, and probably would favor the others if he found President Harding to be correct in his opinion that they would not involve the American people in entangling alliances was regarded as having eased the senatorial situation in and out of the committee considerably.

President Harding in addressing the senate yesterday asked that body to give approval to the arms conference treaties in order that America's professed desire to rid the world of "war may not become a hollow mockery." "If we cannot join in making effective these covenants for peace," he said, "and stamp this conference with America's approval, we shall discredit the influence of the republic, render future efforts futile and unlikely and write discouragement where today the world is ready to acclaim new hope."

Delivering his message in person, in a voice and manner that betokened deep emotion, the president was answered repeatedly by applause from floor and galleries. He asked that ratification be given without delay and before he left the Capitol senate machinery was set in motion to hasten a vote.

Five principal treaties and two supplemental agreements the fruition of the 12 weeks of negotiation just concluded here, were in the bundle of international covenants taken to the senate chamber by Mr. Harding. They propose, in short, a limitation on naval armament, a new bill of rights for China and a four-power accord to preserve peace in the Pacific.

All of these agreements, the president said, are related portions of the effort "to put an end to contradictions, to remove ambiguities and establish clear understandings." None of them, he asserted, commits the American government to any kind of an alliance, entanglement or involvement.

Beer Wagon On Bonus Act Insulting Declares Willis

U. S. Senator Characterizes Attempt to "Hook Vehicle On Tail End of Compensation Measure" As Disgusting to People of U. S.

Columbus, Feb. 11.—"Attempt to gain respectability for a bad cause by hooking a beer wagon at the tail end of the soldiers' adjusted compensation is as insulting to the soldiers as it is disgusting to the rest of the people," declared U. S. Senator Frank B. Willis, addressing the closing session of the law enforcement convention held here under the auspices of the anti-saloon league of America.

"Personally, I shall support adjustment of compensation legislation that will provide the necessary funds, but never, with my consent, shall the beer barnacle attach itself to the bonus ship," continued Senator Willis.

"Whatever power, or influence, I as senator, may have will be used to maintain and strengthen the law enforcement code and prevent the nullification of the 18th amendment by any light wine and beer legislation."

Congressman A. W. Barkley, Kentucky, democrat, predicted that the next congress would be drier than the present one and said if any more laws are needed to enforce prohibition, congress stands ready to pass them.

Resolutions were adopted commending the work of federal prohibition Commissioner Haynes and state prohibition Commissioner Parker, condemning efforts to restore beer and light wines, and warning voters against organizations seeking to elect "congressmen who would violate their oaths of office."

KNIGHT DECLARES HE WILL LISTEN BUT THAT IS ALL

If He is a candidate He Will Not Take Orders He Says.

Washington, Feb. 11.—Representative Charles L. Knight of Akron, Ohio, who has been spoken of as a candidate for governor of his state, served notice today, that he was "willing to listen but not to take orders" from the anti-saloon league, the American Federation of Labor, farmers, bankers, manufacturers or "any other group trying to run this country." Knight's statements were made in a letter to M. C. Robinson of Ashtabula.

"In a moment of unusual modesty and with its usual charming taste," Knight said, "the anti-saloon league has just advised all candidates in Ohio to subscribe to its requirements, or else be measured for their shrouds. I do not know that I shall be a candidate for any office, but if I am, I shall most respectfully decline to comply with either requirements."

"If (the league) has its uses, but when it arranges to itself the functions of a political machine, and insists upon the right to cut and fit all candidates to its procrustean bed, I respectfully decline to become a victim."

FIRE DAMAGES U. S. TREASURY BUILDING



When the Treasury Building at Washington caught fire the greater part of the district's fire apparatus came to fight the blaze. The fire broke out on the roof and is believed to have been started

by a workman's torch. President Harding was among the first to be attracted by the blaze. He watched the firemen from the lawn in the rear of the White House.

Uncertainty Thrown About U. S. Plan Toward Meeting

Reply to Italian Invitation to Participate in Genoa Conference Ready But is Held Back In Case Meeting Should Be Called Off.

Washington, Feb. 11.—An atmosphere of uncertainty was thrown up about the administration's policy with regard to the Genoa economic conference, scheduled to meet in less than four weeks to attempt the commercial and financial stabilization of Europe.

Twice the White House has been on the verge of announcing this government's reply to the invitation from the Italian government, and twice the announcement has been held up at the eleventh hour.

While in neither case has there been an official explanation forthcoming as to the cause for the delay, indications point to a belief and a desire on the part of this government that Italy will itself withdraw the invitations, thus saving Washington from the embarrassing duty of declining to participate.

The reply has been drafted, but it had not been sent up to last night. It will go direct to the American embassy in Rome for presentation to the Italian government by Ambassador Child, if it goes at all.

According to authoritative information the American reply informs the Italian government that under present circumstances the United States regrettably finds itself unable to participate in the party by diplomatic observers. It politely assures the Italian government that the United States is deeply interested in the conference and has every wish for its complete success, but etc., etc.

EDISON OBSERVES HIS 75TH BIRTHDAY

Milan, Ohio, Feb. 11.—Thomas A. Edison, Milan's most distinguished native son is 75 years of age today. A message wishing him many happy returns of the day was wired by the mayor and other officials to Mr. Edison at his East Orange, N. J. home, this morning.

HEARINGS WILL BE RESUMED MONDAY ON MUSCLE SHOALS

Terms of Ford Offer Are Now Being Studied In Committee.

Washington, Feb. 11.—The house military affairs committee marked time today, in its consideration of Henry Ford's offer to take over and develop the government's properties at Muscle Shoals, Ala. Hearings on the Ford proposal will be resumed, Monday, when Engineers representing the Detroit manufacturer will appear.

Committee members gave further study, today, to the terms of the Ford offer, said it was stated that it is their purpose to demand such changes in the present contract, which provides for the purchase of part of the nitrate and power plants at Muscle Shoals and the leasing of the rest of the property for 100 years.

CHILDREN UNDERWEIGHT

Elyria, Feb. 11.—Following an examination, made by Miss Bockman, school nurse, which disclosed that many Elyria school children are underweight, the child welfare department of the Woman's Civic club has undertaken a three-months' experiment with the 60 pupils in the Garford school and will provide all pupils with two glasses of milk daily at recess time.

ESTATE APPRAISED

Bucyrus, Feb. 11.—The estate of the late William Horace Angene, county treasurer, has been appraised at \$45,321, of which \$38,500 is real estate. Mrs. Angene owned a 370-acre farm in Lyken township.

MACHINE GUNS USED TO QUELL BELFAST RIOTS

Mobs Attack Workmen, Early Saturday, But are Repulsed.

TO RUSH TROOPS

Shooting in Streets Occurs Friday Evening—No Casualties.

Belfast, Feb. 11.—Machine guns were used by the police today in quelling rioting between Orangemen and Sinn Feiners. Fighting broke out when mobs attacked workmen on their way to their places of employment. The police opened fire with service pistols, but they proved ineffectual and machine guns were brought up. There was much disorder during the night. Mobs gathered in defiance of the curfew regulations and gave battle when the police tried to disperse them.

Great Britain has promised to send four battalions of British troops into Belfast to protect the city from Irish republicans, according to a statement from Sir James Craig, Unionist premier of Ulster today.

"Craig said that no time limit has been set for the release of the Ulster hostages seized by the Irish republicans and that he would confer with the police and military authorities before taking any decisive action."

(A commandant of one of the northern divisions of the Irish republican army and his staff were all seized by Ulster unionists last Sunday while on their way to Derry to a football match. When word of the seizure of these men reached the headquarters of the republican troops in northern Leinster reprisal raids were organized.)

More special police are being recruited here and the military police authorities are preparing for any eventuality.

There was considerable shooting in the street during the night, and one or more bombs were exploded but no casualties were reported.

Dublin, Feb. 11.—Feeling between the Orangemen and the Sinn Feiners is running high along the Ulster frontier but no further fighting has been reported this morning.

The Irish provisional government has issued a decree signed by Michael Collins, minister of finance, granting general amnesty to all members of the British military, naval and police forces for acts of hostility to the Irish people.

This decree was to reciprocate the British grant of amnesty to the Sinn Feiners.

DIRIGIBLE WRECK COULD HAVE BEEN AVOIDED IS CLAIM

ZR-2 Disaster Said Due To Improper Preliminary Tests.

London, Feb. 11.—The disaster of the dirigible ZR 2 with the loss of more than two score of lives might have been avoided if the proper preliminary tests had been made, according to the report of the technical committee of the Royal Aeronautical Society which will be made public soon. The committee has been making a thorough investigation in the catastrophe.

The International News Service learned today that the report will declare that tests of strength regarding the construction plans of the ZR 2 were abandoned because of lack of funds. Building of the airship was then undertaken on the basis of uncompleted experiments.

Richard Glass Brook, director of aeronautics in the imperial college of technology and a member of the investigating committee admits that the builders proceeded with the construction of the dirigible although not satisfied with the information that had been supplied them by Great Britain.

As a result of the disaster Britain has abandoned the ZR type and in the future will copy the type of German Zeppelins.

FLOOD OF GERMANS TO U. S. NOT SEEN

Washington, Feb. 11.—The expected flood of German immigrants to the United States following the resumption of diplomatic relations has not taken place, according to figures made public today by the labor department.

Records show that only 11,295 Germans have been admitted to this country during the present fiscal year, although Germany's quota under the three per cent immigration law is 68,000.

ONE HUNDRED AND FORTY THREE CASES GIVEN HELP HERE

One hundred and forty three families have been served through the Home Service office of the Greene County Chapter of the Red Cross, according to the monthly report of Miss Louise B. Shaffer, submitted to the Executive Board, recently. Besides this number 144 calls were made at the office by members of soldiers' families.

Twenty-five new soldiers, who have never before solicited the aid of the chapter, came to the office during the month. One hundred and seventy six letters were written for them, during the month, to other organizations, asking for cooperation for their benefit.

Among the one hundred and ninety garments donated to the Red Cross, during the month eighteen were sent to Korea, upon request. The secretary in commenting on cases that had come before the association said,

"One child was sent to the Blind school in Columbus; one operation was arranged for through the Greene County Commissioners; a soldier's wife asked for money to go to Indiana to take a position. The Red Cross of Xenia by getting in touch with the Red Cross in Indiana found the factory had closed down about a week before. The woman remained with her father in Xenia. This co-operation between chapters of the Red Cross prevented her from reaching her destination without money and no work available. A layette was given a mother of three children, whose father has been out of work over a month suffering with tuberculosis of the throat. An effort is being made to have him go to the tuberculosis hospital.

"During the month the organization cooperated with the Probate Court; County Commissioners, Township Trustees, City Manager, St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Dayton; Salvation Army, Maternity Home, Cincinnati; Social Service League; Ohio Board of State Charities and U. S. Veterans' Bureau," Miss Shaffer concluded.

TEAM OF DAYTON ISSUES CHALLENGE

The South East Merchants, of Dayton, league leaders in the Municipal Basketball League, No. 3, Dayton, which includes some of the snappiest fives in Dayton's 130-140 pound teams, challenges any team in Ohio Kentucky or Indiana.

The Merchants have won 11 games and lost two, running up a total of 415 points to their opponents' 87. They also defeated Dayton's last year champions, once 44 to 3, and later, 82 to 23. The team is composed of ex-high school stars and guarantees a good attraction. Xenia, Jamestown, Wilmington, Washington C. H., London, Circleville, Lebanon, Cedarville, Springfield, Greenfield, Chillicothe and Columbus teams take notice. For games write B. Rowerger, 27 Xenia, Avenue, Dayton, or call Home 2394 and ask for "Bernie."

CEDARVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jolly (Ina Faris) are rejoicing over the arrival of a daughter, who has been named Rosemary.

The Research Club met at the home of Mrs. J. P. White Thursday afternoon. An interesting program was enjoyed. Mrs. J. E. Kyle read a paper on "The Great Northwest." Mrs. V. E. Busler gave a very interesting description of Yellow Stone Park. Miss Mildred White then played a beautiful instrumental selection after which it was announced that the Research Club had just been admitted to the State Federation of Women's Clubs. Delightful refreshments were served.

The Day of Prayer for Colleges was observed Friday in the Reformed Presbyterian Church. Rev. Scott of the First Methodist Church in Xenia preached the sermon.

Leonard Stine son of Mr. and Mrs. James Stine who reside in the John Finney farm may lose his left arm as a result of a gun shot wound Thursday, while out hunting in the woods. The boy accidentally charged the gun so that the arm was severely lacerated. He was immediately removed to the hospital in Xenia.

Rev. and Mrs. J. P. White left Tuesday for Pittsburg, where they will attend the meeting of the New World Movement.

TO HOLD INITIATION.
The regular meeting of Aldora Chapter, No. 262, O. E. S. will be held Tuesday, Feb. 14, at 7:30 p. m. Initiation will be in order.

ASSORTED NUTS

THE NUT WHO BUYS AN ENCYCLOPEDIA AND EXPECTS TO FIND THE MEANING OF EVERY WORD HE LOOKS FOR—

RUBBISH

CALLED BY DEATH FRIDAY MORNING IN DAYTON IS WORD

Mrs. Pheldis Walker, 51, died at her residence, 89 Sprague Street, Dayton, Ohio, Friday morning at 11:30 o'clock according to word received here.

Funeral services will be conducted in the Baker Street church, Dayton, Ohio, Monday at one thirty o'clock. Burial will be made in Woodland cemetery. She is survived by her husband, Watson Walker.

ASK RURAL ROUTE PATRONS FIX BOXES

It has become necessary, in connection with recent rural route inspections, made by postmasters throughout the county, to request patrons to take action to the end that their boxes might conform with the regulations as to kind, condition, location, or height and in having the name of the owner plainly printed on them, it was learned Saturday. Also it is asked that the attention of road overseers or other responsible persons be brought to the need for improvements in roads or repair or construction of culverts and bridges.

A statement issued by postoffice officials says: "Patrons of rural delivery can greatly help themselves by helping their carrier, seeing to it that roads are kept in good condition and promptly opened after storms, by keeping the approaches to their boxes clear, and by promptly and willingly correcting any irregularities affecting their boxes when asked to do so.

"Another great assistance that patrons can render carriers is by keeping themselves supplied with and using stamps instead of placing unstamped mail, with money for the purchase of the required postage, in the boxes. This delays the carrier and sometimes imposes a great hardship on him, especially in cold or stormy weather. If preferred, stamped envelopes, either printed or plain may be obtained from the carrier, are of good quality, and cost but little more than the value of the stamps upon them, and are redeemable at the value of the stamps if damaged, but returned in a practically whole condition. If necessary to place money in a box, it should be put in a coin holding receptacle or be properly wrapped so as to be easily picked up by the carrier.

"Money for the purchase of money orders should not be left in the boxes, but should be handed to the carrier and a receipt obtained."

Today's Talk

by George Matthew Adams

THE FACE OF LINCOLN

It is fortunate for the world that so many fine portraits of the immortal Lincoln were preserved.

There is no more extraordinary face in history than that of Lincoln. You cannot look upon any of his many likenesses without being fascinated, so true and simple and splendid is every one "like some tall peak," amongst a range of notable peaks, yet nobler than them all.

It is, first of all, a humanitarian face—gentle, clean, generous, sincere, intelligent, sad—yet showing every evidence of humor, hidden deep.

Such a face would be picked out among thousands or more—and studied with interest.

There is the expansive brow, significant of breadth and soundness of

thinking—the high and prominent

cheek bones, telling of latent strength

and tolerance—the strong nose, the

heavy though finely compressed lips,

the broad, outstanding chin, the well

formed ears—and, most appealing of

all, the eyes. Such eyes! Far sunken,

keen, mellow, with sympathy and in-

ten- sity of feeling.

It is a face for any child to trust

immediately and for strong men to

look up to in reverence and pride.

As the years roll by and accumulate

the face of Lincoln buries its beauty

in the heart of all races and creeds.

The more familiar do we become

with the lines and planes of this re-

markable face, the more are we re-

minded with fresh force that there is,

as Whitman once said, "something

else there."

From rail-splitter to martyr, the

man waxed strong and stronger—

daily growing in wisdom, gentleness

and unselfishness of heart.

As we are brought now to the birth

day of this great man, let us thank

God for his pure and lofty example

of manhood and cherish his memory

in deeds worthy of his fame.

For more and more we come to ap-

preciate Stanton's words: "Now he

belongs to the ages!"

HE'S CHAMPION OYSTER SHUCKER.



One of the most interesting contests ever held at New Orleans occurred when the champion oyster shuckers of the Southern States met to decide

who was the king of them all. Mike Alger, shown in the photo, won the contest and claims to be the fastest oyster opener in the world. In six hours he shucked 4,944 oysters.

INJURY IS FATAL TO KENNETH WEISS

After an illness of several months, Kenneth Weiss, 18, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Weiss, of Yellow Springs, died at his parent's home Saturday morning at 4:30 o'clock. The young man had been seriously ill since last October, following an injury he received while playing basketball. He underwent an operation at the Springfield city hospital in November, but the operation did not prove successful, and he has been confined to his bed since that time.

The deceased was a graduate of the class of 1921, of the Yellow Springs High School, and had entered Antioch College, with the beginning of the fall term, but was forced to give up his studies. Surviving are his parents and three sisters, Ella, Mabel and Esther at home.

Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon at two o'clock, at the Yellow Springs Presbyterian Church, with burial at Glen Forest Cemetery.

FIRE BREAKS OUT

Cleveland, Feb. 11.—Chilling lake breezes greeted nearly 100 men, women and children who were driven into the street in night attire yesterday morning by a fire in Brudno apartment, 12405 Detroit Avenue Lake wood. Miss Grace Kugle grabbed a hat box containing a new hat and jumped from a window to the ground below but was uninjured. Damage to the building is estimated at \$5,000.

FRESHMEN CONTINUE WINNING STREAK

The freshman basketball team continued its strides toward the school inter-class championship by defeating the juniors at the Rink, Friday night 10 to 6 in an overtime contest, and thereby retaining a clean slate in the series.

The sophomore team, which almost defeated the freshmen five in the first preliminary several weeks ago won from the seniors, 20 to 13. Both class games were played preliminary to the Central-Urbana contest.

The freshmen five presented an organized attack and good pass-work in the opening game. The juniors scored first with a field goal by Ballentyne, which was not matched until late in the first half, when White's fielder tied the score at 2-2. White's two baskets and baskets by Ballentyne and Smith in the regularly timed second half, left the score at the gun 6-6. Three minutes overtime was agreed upon, and in this brief session, the freshmen team scored two baskets. Ballentyne, Smith and Witham played well for the Juniors, while White, Holton and Zell starred for the freshmen.

The lineup and summary: Juniors—6 Freshmen—10 Copeland L. F. Harner Stearns R. F. Perrine Ballentyne C. White Smith (c) L. G. Goodman Kelter R. G. Zell (c) Substitutions: Juniors—Witham for Kelter, Woolery for Copeland, Cowan for Stearns; Freshman—Holton for Goodman, Goodman for Holton, Holton for Harner. Field goals, Ballentyne, 2, Smith 1, White, 4, Holton 1, Referee: Curlett.

The meeting of the seniors and sophomores was not as closely fought. The seniors started out in the lead thanks to Randall's foul shot, and "horseshoe" shots by Captain Randall during the early part of the first period kept the last year men in the running. With the score 8 to 3, the Sophomores revived before the end of the period, and ran the score to 14-8.

Five points represented the seniors' best efforts in the second period, while the sophomores were able to score but six themselves. Randall and Bostwick starred for the Seniors, while Hendrickson and Muterspaw were the luminaries for the second year team. The lineup and summary:

Seniors—13 Sophomores—20 Colling L. F. Muterpaw Randall (c) R. F. McCallister Bostwick C. Hendrickson Arnold L. G. A. Currie Douthett R. G. Cost Substitutions: Seniors: Huston for Douthett, Mendenhall for Arnold, Arnold for Collins, Ferguson for Huston, ophomores; Botoroc for Currie, Currie for McCallister. Field goals: Randall 3, Bostwick 1, Arnold, Muterspaw 4, McCallister 1, Hendrickson 4, Cost 1. Foul goals: Randall 2, Arnold 1, Referee Curlett.

PREDICTS EARLY SPRING

Wellington, Feb. 11.—Section Foreman Christ Veltrics, Brighton, while working on the railroad tracks, ran onto a two-foot snake, which was killed. Veltrics discounts the groundhog theory and declared that the snake was working around at this time of the year is a sure barometer of an early spring.

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Social and Personal

GARMENTS COMPLETED

Seven garments for the Social Service League, were completed by eighteen members of the Pythian Sisters, who were entertained at the home of Mrs. Clem Henrie, on West Market street, Friday afternoon.

The women spent the entire day, sewing, and at noon, a delicious covered dish dinner was served.

Mrs. Gertrude Peters, of Ironton, Ohio, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Charles Dodds, of Hill street.

Ray Brown, who has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dodds, returned to New York City, Saturday.

We have on track car of Flour Middlings, car of Coarse Bran and car of 60 per cent Tankage.

The Xenia Farmers Exchange Co. 2-11-13

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Wharton, of Cincinnati, will spend the week end with Mrs. Wharton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Logan, of East Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nickerson of West Main street, are the parents of a son, born Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hillard, of the Fairground road, are announcing the birth of a son, Friday.

Mrs. Hattie Smith is seriously ill at her home in New Jasper, suffering from diabetes.

Harvey King, of near Bowersville, is slightly improved, after a serious illness, suffering from a cerebral hemorrhage.

The K. of P. Team will practice Monday evening. All members be sure and be present.

2-11-13 Hugh McFadden, M. of W.

We have on track car of Flour Middlings, car of Coarse Bran and car of 60 per cent Tankage.

The Xenia Farmers Exchange Co. 2-11-13

Lysander Peterson, of East Second street, has been quite ill for the past several days.

Mrs. Elizabeth M. Whittington has returned from Dayton, where she spent several days with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Eneyart.

Miss Anna Cronin, Mrs. J. P. Downes, and Mrs. J. F. McCabe, are in New Paris, Ohio, over the week end. They attended the funeral of Miss Helen Oates, held there, Friday.

Raymond Snodgrass, who underwent an operation a few days ago, for appendicitis, at the city hospital, at Newark, is much improved, according to word received here. His mother, Mrs. M. R. Snodgrass, and his sister, Miss Omilo Snodgrass, are both with him.

WILL IMPROVE PT. WILLIAM PIKE

Wilmington, Feb. 11.—Early steps in the direction of the improvement of the Port William pike are to be taken.

The Community club of Port William has taken up the project and the Commercial club of Wilmington has already proffered its support of the plan of improving the pike between the two towns.

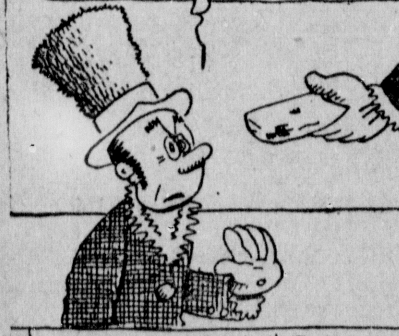
"We know that a lot of traffic is going towards Xenia that should be coming to Wilmington," remarked a prominent leader of the Port William club who was in Wilmington yesterday to stir up a sentiment for the road. "We want the Wilmington road—we want it because Wilmington is our own town and we don't want to have to go to some other town, merely because the road to Wilmington is not fit to travel," he continued.

The good roads committee of the Commercial club will meet the board of county commissioners, with the representatives of the Port William club, at the regular session of the board Monday afternoon, according to the plan.

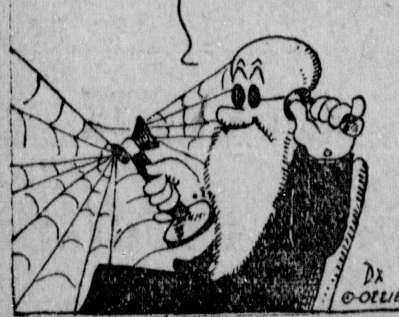
It is understood that the proponents of the road favor the resurfacing of the pike with stone, which, it is pointed out, is available. The idea of the men favoring the road improvement is to secure a proper drainage and apply a surfacing of stone, and begin on the work as soon as possible in the spring.

PAST AND PRESENT

THIS POSTAL SERVICE IS AWFUL. IT TOOK SIX MONTHS TO GET THIS LETTER FROM 'PARISO'.



HELLO CENTRAL! I'VE WAITED TWO YEARS FOR MY NUMBER—HEL—LOW—HEL—A-H—HEL—LL—



Mrs. James Doane, of Chesler Hill, Ohio, who has been visiting her son in law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Zumbro, of the Davidson Apartment left Saturday for her home. Mr. and Mrs. Zumbro accompanied her as far as Columbus.

C. L. Jobe, and Mrs. Karl Bloom, and Miss Helen Rinck, buyer for the millinery department, and Miss Elsie Weber, buyer of the ready to wear department of the Jobe Brothers Company, returned, Friday from the East, where they spent two weeks, purchasing stock. Miss Weber, visited in Youngstown, with her sister, Mrs. Ben Lovell, and in Akron, with her brother, Ray Weber, before returning home.

Mrs. J. N. Witham, is moving from 114 Cincinnati avenue, to her property on the same street, which she formerly occupied. Mr. and Mrs. Herman White who have resided in the Witham property have moved to their new home on High Street.

GET IT AT DONGES.

Professor Hendrik Van Loon of Antioch College, will deliver an address at the monthly supper of the men of the High Street Methodist Church, Springfield, next Tuesday night.

Mrs. Dallas Buckles has been confined to her bed at the home of her father, R. L. Mouser, this week, suffering from nervousness and heart trouble, caused by having a number of her teeth extracted. It is thought that she will be able to be removed to her home on the Kelly farm, north of town, soon.

Wanted, A girl 21 years or over at Springfield and Xenia Telephone Co. Over the Orplum. 2-11

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Lauman, and son, John, of this city, have arrived in Tampa, Fla., and are enjoying the South Florida fair.

Mrs. W. J. Drew has returned to her home in Medina, Ohio, after a few days' visit with her mother, Mrs. Margaret Dillencourt of North Galway Street.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Crawford Craig left Saturday for Tulsa, Oklahoma, where Mr. Craig was called on business.

Wanted to Rent—4 or 5 room apartment or house with bath, centrally located. Call Bell 362-W. 2-11

Mrs. Harry Thompson and son, are spending a few days with her parents, Judge and Mrs. C. H. Kyle.

Mrs. Henry Buckles has been confined to her home on West Second street, for the past week, suffering from the grip.

The Lutheran ladies will hold a rummage sale in the Steele Bldg., cor. Main and Detroit, Feb. 14 and 15. Open 9 a. m. 2-13

Notice, all members of Obident council No. 160 will please be present this Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock for initiation. By order of team captain. 2-11

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Norris, of Hill Street, will leave Sunday, for Akron, for a visit with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Norris.

Mrs. Lewis Gregg, Mrs. Harper Kepler, and little son, will leave the first of the week for Lenoir, City, Tennessee, to visit, Mrs. Frank Rudd, sister of Mrs. Gregg and Mrs. Harper.

RICKARD HELD IN BAIL

New York, Feb. 11.—Tex Rickard, internationally known sport promoter was held this afternoon in bail of \$10,000 for the act of the grand jury by Magistrate W. Simpson in West Side court on a charge preferred by Alice Rick, 15 years old and the children's society.

MONARCHIST CANDIDATE FOR RUSSIAN THRONE.



The Grand Duke Cyril Vladimirovich has been chosen by the Russian Monarchist Congress now sitting in Belgrade

ANTIOCH TRUSTEES ENDORSE PROGRESS OF THAT COLLEGE

Members of the board of trustees of Antioch College in meeting Friday, expressed themselves as much pleased with the progress of the College under its governing heads and faculty.

The trustees were enthusiastic over the progress and improvement shown under the new plan at the college, endorsing the work of the educators, who are in direct charge of the institution, and expressing themselves as satisfied that the work continue as in the past.

The trustees accepted the large budget prepared for next year, and passed it on to the executive committee with authority to act, giving assurance that the plans of the school requiring financial support will be well backed for the coming year.

The trustees also voted to accept the Means estate in Yellow Springs, purchased by President Arthur E. Morgan some time ago, and held in trust by the College. The property is now dotted with a number of new dwellings being erected for faculty members and their families including the residence of President Morgan.

Other business transacted by the trustees was routine. The meeting was one of two meetings held annually, and called the annual February meeting.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 11.—After a four hour conference late last night between Mabel Normand, screen star and District Attorney Thomas Les Woolwine, which officials said had shed no new light on the slaying of William Desmond Taylor ten days ago, investigators today are continuing their tireless probe of new clues, including the recovery late last night of a blood stained cap, which has been partially identified as the head gear worn by the man seen leaving the Taylor home the night of the murder.

The cap, light brown in color, but made in such a manner that it might have given the appearance of a plaid was found last night in the possession of Walter Thiele, who was booked on suspicion of a burglary committed the night Taylor was shot.

RETAINS TITLE

Cleveland, Feb. 11.—Howard Shoemaker, of New York, entered upon his ninth year as national amateur pocket billiard champion of the United States today having easily defeated W. H. Leu, of Rockford, Ill., in the closing match of the tournament, which ended here last night. Shoemaker scored 125 to Leu's 36 in 28 innings. Leu did not have a single marker to his credit until the twenty first inning, when he ran nine. Shoemaker's high run was 28 and Leu's 15.

NEW PEACE DOLLAR SLIGHTLY CHANGED

Washington, Feb. 11.—The peace dollar for 1922 will be changed slightly that it can be "stacked" better, but those already issued will not be withdrawn, Raymond T. Baker, director of the mint, announced last night.

Coinage of the 1922 issue will be begun today at the Philadelphia mint, for the new year will be sent to the mints at Denver and San Francisco. The relief of these dies is slightly lower than that for the 1,000,000 coined during December.

DEMPEY TO WED, IS REPORT

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 11.—Bebe Daniels, motion picture actress and Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, are engaged to be married, according to a dispatch printed in a newspaper here.

SOCIAL SERVICE WILL MEET

The Social Service league, will hold its regular monthly meeting, Monday evening, at seven thirty o'clock.

TAYLOR'S LIQUORS MAY BE DESTROYED

Los Angeles, Feb. 11.—The private stock of liquor, declared to be of excellent brands and almost rare in the days of prohibition, that was found in the home of William Desmond Taylor, murdered, film director, today furnished a problem for the government officials.

The liquor under the strict dry law of the country cannot be turned over to heirs of the slain director and may have to be destroyed.

Public administrator Frank Bryson brought the matter to the fore applying to the local prohibition officials for a permit to remove the liquor stock from the Taylor residence to his office.

It was stated the permit likely would be granted, but that the liquor may have to be destroyed later unless an order is issued in federal court permitting its donation to some hospital for medical purposes.

HIGHWAY PROBE WAS "WHITE WASH" IT IS NOW CLAIMED

Columbus, Feb. 11.—Claim that the recent probe of the Cleveland-Columbus-Cincinnati highway was "a white wash" is contained a statement issued today by Attorneys W. S. Pealer and Randolph Walton, Columbus.

The investigation was conducted by W. A. Alsodorf, Columbus, secretary of the Ohio good roads federation, and P. S. Bookwalter, Dayton, president of the Ohio engineers society at the solicitation of Gov. Davis, following allegations of irregularities relative to road improvement in Wayne and Knox counties. The charges were made by Attorney's Walton and Pealer.

In their statement today, Pealer and Walton declared that the investigator's work was superficial and incomplete, that less than two days were devoted to inspection of the 12.85 miles of highway, and that state highway department employees furnished the information upon which the major portion of their report was based.

Pealer and Walton claimed, also, that the good roads federation is largely supported by road building material interests, that the secretary of the engineers society is a highway department engineer, and that President Bookwalter is surveyor of Montgomery county.

"This report represents the most insincere and weak attempt to get at the facts of a situation about which there is widespread concern and desire for information, of which we have any knowledge," declared Pealer and Walton.

EAST END NEWS

St. John's A. M. E. Church. Rev. J. W. Gumbs, pastor. Sunday services as follows: 10:45 a. m. worship and sermon, subject, "The Grandeur of Richard Allen's Religion." 12:30 p. m. Sunday school, Prof. S. R. Singer, Supt. From 4 to 5 p. m. Vesper service, under the auspices of the women. Supt. Berry will be the speaker on this occasion. Wilberforce quartette will sing. 6 p. m. Allen Endeavor League. 7 p. m. worship and sermon by Presiding Elder Dr. Geo. W. Maxwell. The public is most cordially invited to attend these services.

The Vesper service at St. John's A. M. E. Church promises to equal if not exceed anything of the kind this splendid choir organization has given. The services will begin promptly at four p. m. and close at five o'clock. The public is asked to be seated at four o'clock. Zion Baptist Church. 9:30 a. m. Sunday school. 10:45 a. m. sermon by Deacon J. H. Harris, 6 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 7 p. m., being Lincoln's birthday, special patriotic services will be rendered. The main feature will be echoes from the world's war. 2000 feet of films and a complete set of 36 slides with illustrated songs, will be used to unfold the subject, "A Modern Ruth."

OLD PICTURE OF LINCOLN SHOWN AT LOCAL BANK

An ancient and time yellow sketch of Abraham Lincoln, made before his election to the presidency, is on display in the window of the Commercial & Savings Bank.

The picture is the property of H. W. Owens, of this city, and depicts the Great Emancipator on horseback in front of his residence in Springfield, Ill., on his return home at the close of his campaign with Douglas.

The picture was drawn by E. Brass 149 Lombard street, St. Catherine, Ill., and was published by William F. Staines. Its age indicates that it was probably sketched on the scene and it is large enough to take in a part of the crowd welcoming the man who was later to become President and one of the greatest figures in American history.

The showing of the picture is especially appropriate because of the fact that Sunday, February 12, is the anniversary of his birth.

TO HOLD ALL-DAY MEETING

The Ladies' Aid Society of Trinity M. E. Church will hold an all-day meeting at the church, Tuesday, Feb. 14, to save for the Social Service League. Each member is asked to bring a covered dish, and sandwiches. The First Division A. B. C. will be in charge and every woman of the church is invited.

SOCIETIES TO MEET.

The Sarah M. Chew and the Queen Esther Missionary Societies will meet at the home of Mrs. J. W. Stevens, 136 East Second Street, Monday evening, Feb. 13, at 7:30 p. m. Members are urged to be present and to bring money for extracts.

CHEAPER CAR FARE ARRANGED; WILL GO BACK TO SCHEDULE

A cheaper group fare for city car service and a resumption of hourly service to the east end, is announced by the Dayton & Xenia traction company following a conference with city commissioners.

The new agreement between the administration and traction officials will not lower the price of single fares for city car service, which will remain at seven cents, but group tickets may be bought from now on at five tickets for 25 cents instead of four tickets for 25, which has been the rule for almost a year.

The change in the schedule of the city car and the price of fares some time ago was made on demand of the traction company and on agreement of the city officials. The traction company held then that its hourly service to the east end did not pay, and that the local car service was a losing proposition. The agreement discontinued hourly service to the east end, cars running to that section of the city only in the morning, at noon, and in the evening.

The agreement regarding the schedule and rates was made effective for six months, but at the end of that time was continued without protest. It was for the purpose of taking up this question that that commission called in Superintendent, Farned at the meeting Thursday night. The traction representatives was willing to change the ticket rate to five tickets for 25 cents, but wanted a ten cent single fare. The commission refused to hear of such a rate, and the agreement to leave the fare at seven cents was subsequently reached.

The resumption of the old schedule will mean that cars will leave Main and Detroit Streets, for the east end, at twenty minutes after each hour all day long. Cars will run south to the O. S. & S. O. Home on the even hour, and at twenty minutes before each hour.

RELEASE PRISONERS

London, Feb. 11.—The British government is releasing from English jails all Sinn Fein prisoners found guilty of political offenses committed in England previous to the Irish truce Colonial Secretary Churchill announced today.

MOTHER TAKES POISON.

Cleveland, Feb. 11.—Mrs. Mary Craig, mother of six children, following a quarrel with her husband over money matters early today, took poison in an attempt, police say, to end her life. She is in a hospital where it is said that chances of recovery are slight.

CONFERENCE IS CALLED

Washington, Feb. 11.—A second public conference on commercial engineering was called today, by the commissioner of education to meet at the Carnegie institute of technology on May 1 and May 2, at Pittsburgh. The conference was held in Washington two and a half years ago.

PAPER IS SUSPENDED

Berlin, Feb. 11.—The communist newspaper Rote ("Red Flag") was suppressed today on the ground that it was indirectly agitating over throw of the government.

PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm, I will sell without reserve, at the farm four and one-half miles southeast of Xenia, near White Chapel Church, on Stone road, on

Tuesday, February 21st, 1922

Commencing at 10 O'clock, Sharp

2—HEAD OF HORSES—2

One bay gelding, 10 years old; 1 bay mare, 10 years old, work any place.

5—HEAD OF CATTLE—5

One milk cow, fresh soon; 1 Jersey cow; 1 Jersey heifer, fresh soon; 1 two year old steer; 1 yearling Jersey calf.

2—HOGS—2

One brood sow; one Duroc male hog.

46—HEAD OF SHEEP—46

42 Delaine breeding ewes; one Delaine ram; four wethers.

SOME SINGLE COMB BROWN LEGHORN CHICKENS

FEED

600 bushels corn in crib; 5 tons timothy hay in barn; 2 tons clover hay; 100 bushels oats in barn; 3 bushels alsike clover seed; some fodder in the field.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

Single disc; two horse wagon and bed; hay ladders; one low down wagon; power spray pump; manure spreader; Deering mower, 6 foot cut; steel hay rake; Sure Drop corn planter, with fertilizer attachment; riding cultivator; two walking breaking plows; spring tooth harrow; double shovel plow; five tooth cultivator; 100 feet of hay rope; 5 hay forks; 1 hoghead; iron kettle; galvanized storage tank; grindstone; 1 large log chain; 2 twenty-five foot rolling chains; 2 sets of lead harness; collars and check lines; double extension ladder; single ladder; step ladder; straw knife; corn grader; 19 steel posts; fence stretcher; stone hammer; shovel; auger; mattocks; pick; ditching scoop; 2 scoop shovels; scythe; lawn mower; wagon jack; seed sower; hot bed sash with glass; chicken coop; bushel boxes; Sharpless cream separator and churn.

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"THE WAY TO DO A THING IS TO DO IT," IS WHITE HOUSE IDEA.

President Harding is not a pacifist. Prompt occasion was taken at the White House to remove any false impressions that may have been aroused on that score by the President's statement at the close of the Conference that he "once believed in armed preparedness."

Lest dreamers who would "abolish war" should exploit that observation for illusory propaganda, the President lost no time in taking the ground from under them. It was declared his utterance "was not the statement of a pacifist."

The President is far from believing in the complete abandonment of armies or navies. He does not think any government in the world should neglect its defenses. All he meant to convey to the Conference in discussing preparedness was his thought that the public mind and world opinion can be elevated to a point which would constitute a better guarantee of peace than "large armed preparedness."

President Harding seized the same opportunity once again to place himself squarely on record against cuts in naval personnel that would upset the "relativity" established by the Five-Power Treaty. He pointed out the United States could not maintain the 5-5-3 ratio and "the treaty navy" it now has accepted if there is any drastic reduction of personnel.

The White House is aware of differences of opinion as to just how many officers and men must be retained to maintain "reasonable relativity" and the President expects Congress to propose "a very considerable reduction." He hopes in no event that it will go below 80,000 men. Naval experts have said "the treaty navy" cannot be properly manned with fewer than the existing strength of 100,000 and some even assert it cannot be done with fewer than 120,000.

Meantime President Harding is determined to give the promptest possible effect to the naval undertakings America pledged herself to carry out. As Commander-in-Chief of the army and navy, he ordered all pending work on new fortifications—not very elaborate in character—stopped, both in the Philippines and in Guam.

President Harding also has instructed the Navy Department to stop all work on battleships and battle cruisers under construction, except the nearly completed Colorado and Washington, which are to be completed and retained.

KING GEORGE AND PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE HEARTILY ENDORSE THE WASHINGTON CONFERENCE.

King George in his speech from the throne Wednesday reopening Parliament said:

"During the last three months the Washington Conference on the questions of disarmament and the Far East continued its sessions. A treaty designed to maintain peace in the Pacific has been signed by representatives of the British Empire, the United States, France and Japan and awaits ratification.

"While this treaty replaces the Anglo-Japanese alliance, I am happy to feel that the long-standing concord between the two countries will remain as cordial as ever under the arrangements thus concluded. At the same time our relations with the United States of America enter a new and even closer phase of friendship.

"An agreement also was reached on the question of disarmament and a treaty has been signed providing a large measure of relief from the burden of armaments. In all these respects great results have been attained and the success of the Conference for which the world will owe a deep debt of gratitude to the initiative of the President of the United States of America, will be the happiest augury for future international relations.

The successful conclusion of the Washington Conference also proved a safety valve for many orators who arose in both the Lords and Commons with speeches to make. Admittedly all factions rejoice wholeheartedly to a degree in the great work done there. Even John Robert Clynes, the Labor leader, who declines to go the whole way, saw good in it as far as it had gone. Premier Lloyd George and Lord Curzon, the Government spokesmen in the two Houses, hailed it as the greatest event of the age and the Prime Minister in addition said definitely it would remove millions from the shoulders of the British taxpayers this year. He answered Mr. Clynes' criticism that the Conference had been only arithmetical by saying that in order to be practical it was necessary to deal with ships, tonnage and guns arithmetically.

"In this case arithmetic meant to reduce the dynamics of war," he said. "In the past regulations for the conduct of war were placed on paper, but when the European war broke out those regulations were swept away in a moment. Vague resolutions have no effect, but when those resolutions are dealt with in arithmetic, they have a very great effect. In this country the effect will be to save millions this year."

HONOR TO RICH MEN FOR HELP TO UNCLE SAM.

Rodman Wanamaker, acting for his father, has about completed negotiations for a property in Paris, which is to be purchased and suitably furnished and adorned with tapestries and pictures, the whole to be presented to the United States Government as the official residence of the American Ambassador. In thus following the lead of J. P. Morgan in giving his London house to be used as the American embassy, Mr. Wanamaker need be in no uncertainty about the acceptance of his munificent gift by Congress.

It is none the less humiliating that the Nation is thus compelled to depend upon the liberality and public spirit of individuals in the performance of a duty that ought properly to devolve upon the Nation as a whole. The policy which has been pursued so long of refusing proper support to our diplomatic representatives is of the peanut variety, reflecting the reaction of small minds to the obligations surrounding the diplomatic service and our official relations with other nations. American diplomatic representatives have been obliged commonly to depend upon their private resources to maintain a position fitting as agents of a great Power, or, as the alternative, have been compelled to submit to humiliation through the short-sighted, cheeseparing policy of the national legislature. It is doubtful whether Congress ever will be shamed into a broader viewpoint and policy by the example of the Morgans and Wanamakers.

NOW FOR PITY SAKE BILL BE REASONABLE



1902--Twenty Years Ago--1922

A fire of unusual character is raging at Springfield this afternoon. The Whitely shops, known as the East street shops, and among the largest in the world, are on fire and the local department has no power to control the flames.

Coal wagons making their rounds on Sunday in Xenia are a little unusual, but were abroad yesterday. This is caused by the great shortage of coal in Xenia

and it takes great skirmishing on the part of the dealers to keep their customers supplied.

Mr. Frank Zell, who has been conducting a cigar store and barber shop in the Steele building, has disposed of his business to Mr. Frank Hunt.

There will be a sleighing party tonight to which all are invited who are willing to give 10 cents to the repair of the Lutheran Church, which was recently damaged by fire.



A MEATLESS DIET

If a man or woman intends to reduce one excellent way might be to go on a meatless diet for a while. It cannot possibly do any harm, and it can possibly do a lot of good. For one thing meat is very fattening.

Of course there are many people who are ordered on a meatless diet by their doctors. I have never yet known a case that did not thrive on it. A thin person can go on a meatless diet, get fat by including concentrated foods such as nuts and cream. A fat person can go on a meatless diet reduce by being moderately careful not to indulge in too many sweets and rich dishes.

Here are some suggestions for meatless menus.
Crapefruit cocktail.
Chestnut soup.
Spaghetti croquettes.
Potatoes.
Scalloped mushrooms.
Indian pudding.
Coffee.
Oysters.
Cream of asparagus soup.
Brazil nut cutlets.
Boiled rice.
Banana and walnut salad.
Cheese straws.
Ice cream.

Here are two more suggestions. Creamed fish would serve instead of meat as the main course, and if you were reducing the fish could be boiled and would be less fattening. The logical substitutes for meat are fish, nuts and eggs, since all of these can be made sufficiently sustaining so the absence of meat is not felt.

Most doctors will agree that it is a good thing now and then to give the digestion a rest, and one way of doing so is to eliminate meat, which takes longer to digest than any other food. In any case it will not hurt you to experiment a little with yourself.

Anxious—Your old fashioned mantlepiece could be a great asset to the room, instead of spoiling it as you seem to think it does. You can dignify the whole room if you keep this mantle almost plain except for a couple of brass candlesticks in which there should be real candles.

These can be bought at the brass shops at a small sum and imitate the old colonial ones so well that they look as if they had been smoother by a century of polishing. If you feel that you should have something more add a group of small volumes in the center of the shelf. Any more than six or eight of these will spoil the effect.

Discouraged—Since you are 15 pounds overweight even though you are avoiding starchy foods, you should make a more careful study of your requirements. You may be eating too much of other foods that are fattening

Styles BY LENORE

An out of the ordinary cloth frock is ready prove its versatility by serving as two different types of outfit. It may be worn as a dress, with the collar buttoned snugly and smartly high up to the chin—or it may be worn with a blouse, and the coat open at the neck. A collarless blouse will be the most suitable.



Of course the newness of this model, which is an adaptation from a costume worn by a popular actress in Paris, lies in the semipen coat, an idea derived from the Russian peasant smock. Gray broadcloth was used, but serge or any of the twill materials are equally smart, particularly in beige with silk braid in the same color together with a touch of black. Shiny metal ball buttons are used, and to balance the side

opening of the neck there is a little patch pocket with a monogram embroidered in black.
The skirt is about ten inches from the floor.

REAL ALEXANDER DIES ON FRIDAY

Relatives in this city have received word of the death of Real Alexander, old and well known former resident of Greene County, who died at the home of his son, Lyle Alexander, on Richard Street, Dayton, Friday.

Mr. Alexander, who is 82 years of age, formerly lived at Spring Valley, residing of late years in Dayton. His wife, who was the daughter of the late Moses Walton of Spring Valley, died five years ago. Surviving are four children, Mrs. James Zell, of Yellow Springs, Lyle and O. J. Alexander of Dayton.

Short funeral services will be held at nine o'clock, Monday morning, at the late home, with burial from the Friends Church, at Spring Valley, at 11 o'clock.

JEFFERSON SCHOOL NEWS

Bowersville Basket Ball team will play Beaver Creek Friday night.

There will be a minstrel given by the Community Welfare in the school auditorium Tuesday evening Feb. 14.

The Junior Class met at the home of Miss Vida Stewart for the purpose of selecting their class play which will be given in March.

Bowersville boys met with defeat due to the absence of three main players.

Our third number of the Lecture Course was last Saturday evening Feb. 4. It was enjoyed very much by the people. The next number will be Feb. 24. It is a play entitled "His Father's Business."

There will be a Parcel Post Sale and Dutch Supper in the basement of the M. P. Church of Bowersville Saturday evening Feb. 11. Everyone is invited.

Mr. Copey, music teacher, has been absent for some time on account of illness but has now resumed his work.

DECLARES WILSON COULD NOT WRITE

New York, Feb. 11.—Dr. William Bayard Hale, head of the German information bureau in this city before America's entry into the war, claimed that he, and not Woodrow Wilson, was author of the "New Freedom." T. Everett Harre, one of his assistants, declared recently, Mr. Harre, testifying before a special commissioner in the suit of Mayor William Hale Thompson of Chicago, against the Chicago Tribune, quoted Dr. Hale as saying:

"Wilson can't write very well, you know. I wrote 'The New Freedom.' Dr. Hale also told him, the witness testified, that it was 'German generosity and not Wilson diplomacy,' that caused Germany to limit her submarine campaign in 1915; that Mr. Wilson and his cabinet were pro-British and that no member of the cabinet was versed in international law.



IN ITS PLACE.

I like to hear a gent inspired push language through his face; of eloquence I don't grow tired—when in its proper place. I like to sit in gilded ease, in some well lighted hall, and hear a new Demosthenes make straw men wilt and fall. But when I go to buy a goose at Johnson's Poultry Store, it jars me if a clerk turns loose a loud impassioned roar. He may be right—this much I feel—in putting up his howl; but I'm not there to hear his spiel; I'm there to buy a fowl. I hire a man to build a fence, and he declaims all day; his arguments are full of sense, and range from grave to gay. He's posted on affairs of state, he knows their ins and outs, he seems to have his logic straight, and hour by hour he spouts. But he is hired to build a fence, and though he sheds new light upon the whichness of the whence, I fire that windy wight. The gifted orators abound, they're keen to show their curves, they fill the air with strident sound that gets upon our nerves. Wherever human beings meet, in alleys or in parks, there's sure to be some tiresome beat who'd make a few remarks. I'm fond of eloquence, I say, as much as any bo; I'm glad to list to William J., or J. H. Cicero. But there's a time for sounding brass and tinkling tambourines, and there's a time for mowing grass and threshing stringless beans.

Health Talks

By John B. Huber, A.M.M.D.

NOSE BLEED

I am frequently asked about this. The nose bleed being relieved a thorough local and general examination should be made. There is not infrequent relation between nose bleed and some lung, heart, liver and kidney maladies. Until the doctor comes, in cases where the nose bleed is excessive, and becoming dangerous, the patient should lie quiet with the head hanging forward.

Heat should be applied to the spine (a towel wrung out in hot water) and

the nostrils should, in so far as possible be douched by means of a syringe with hot water containing a little salt, lime water, vinegar, lime or lemon juice. Or the nostrils may be plugged with cotton; but such plugging should not in the doctors absence be persisted in; for the hemorrhage may get down the throat.

It is the doctor's province to make internal applications of adrenalin chloride, or other astringent substances and to take other measures. In some cases soaking the hands and feet in hot water has helped.

BIJOU Theater To-Night

Don't Turn Around—You'll Lose a Laugh!

The Foolish Age

Is a comedy drama which ranks among the most laughable and original contributions to the photoplay screen.

Doris May is the Star

It'll tickle you pink! When you see her with her four "gentle" playmates, Bull Montana, Spike

Robinson, Billy Elmer, Jimmy Quinn. Pathe Review and Topics of the Day

Monday Matinee and Night

"THE KENTUCKIANS"

WITH MONTE BLUE

A PARAMOUNT PICTURE

The heart-stirring novel by John Fox, Jr., tingling over the screen. A romance of feud in the Blue Ridge hills and of love in the Blue Grass Capital.

OTHER PICTURES

ORPHIUM THEATER

SATURDAY NIGHT

"THE NIGHT ATTACK"

A two reel western drama with EILEEN SEDGWICK and an all western cast.

"SEA SHORE SHAPES"

A 2 reel Century comedy. SEE the Belle of the Beach.

"HURRICANE HUTCH"

In 2 reels with CHARLES HUTCHISON. A thrill a minute Stunt King, a mile a minute action serial. Matinee 1:15. Night 5:30 prompt continuous till 10 p. m. Never a dull moment. COME EARLY.

MONDAY NIGHT

"WITCH'S LURE"

A 5 reel romance of the great Texas oil fields featuring DAVID and EDWARD COXEN and an all star cast. A super feature. SEE IT.

"THE TERROR TRAIL"

In 2 reels with EILEEN SEDGWICK and a big cast.

2—BIG FEATURES—2

Abraham Lincoln the Man of Mercy

Sec. of War, please see this Pittsburgh boy -
He is very young, and I place his picture with what you see with him
Aug. 21, 1863. *Lincoln*

Note given by Lincoln to fever-stricken youth.

Priceless Letters Recently Uncovered Tell Martyr's Love of Fellow Men.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN, the Man of Mercy, was born 113 years ago.

On a frontier farm that was little more than a clearing in the primeval wilderness of Hardin County, Kentucky, he made his obscure entry into life.

Had a soothsayer made a pilgrimage to the rude cabin that day, viewed its poverty and isolation, or spoken to the shiftless, illiterate father, he could have found nothing that foretold the man who was to steady a tottering nation's destinies—the giant in spiritual power who was to wage to victory the bitterest war of our history and still be acclaimed the Man of Mercy. The seer could have done no more than speculate vaguely on the "perfect number seven" present in the letters of his given and family names.

Documents Newly Revealed

It is Lincoln, the Man of Mercy, that is particularly revealed in the group of almost priceless documents recently collected by G. Lynn Sumner for the library of the International Correspondence Schools. All of them are of great value and interest. One is wholly unique. For it preserves in one manuscript a plea for a soldier found asleep on his post; a brief endorsement by Senator Charles Sumner of Massachusetts, and finally a paragraph by Lincoln himself. It was a case in which Lincoln

saved a guiltless man from execution, and as such is characteristic.

George C. Alden, of Company K, Seventh Massachusetts Regulars, had fallen asleep on his post. His offense was to be punished by the most disgraceful death a soldier may die. The fact that he was subject to fits of a sleeping sickness against which he was powerless to struggle found no place for consideration in the crude, summary justice of the field. He was asleep on his post, and the sequel was death.

Lincoln Saves Guiltless Man

As he awaited the execution of a Court Martial's decree, Samuel Breck, a friend and fellow townsman, heard of his plight. In a letter to Sumner, he set all the facts before him. Sumner's endorsement on the back of the letter, by which it was referred to his Commander-in-Chief, is as follows: "I ask attention to this letter from an estimable citizen hoping that proceedings should be delayed against George C. Alden, Co. K, Seventh Mass., for sleeping at his post."

"CHARLES SUMNER."

Then follows Lincoln's respite:

"I know nothing of this case—know not where Mr. Alden is—whether any proceedings are on foot against him—I should not knowingly let him be punished, if shown he has the infirmity stated in the affidavit, though the infirmity may be sufficient reason for dismissing him from the service."

"A. LINCOLN."

"May 21, 1862." Although the saving of the Union never drew upon the time and energy of Lincoln more than in the dark days of '62, he found time to pen with his own hand an opinion that placed human values above an inflexible discipline.

Letters Show Kindly Heart

In the collection at the Scranton institution are scores of original documents concerning Lincoln, his Cabinet and his Generals. Where

original documents cannot be obtained there are faithful replicas. Virtually all of them reflect the great, kindly heart of the martyr.

In the days of the Civil War, every soldier knew Lincoln for his friend. Reports of many cases

where he used his personal influence to secure some right or favor for a soldier were in constant circulation. From the time the first troops arrived in Washington in April, 1861, until the end of the war, the town was full of men,

most of them wanting to see the President.

In the beginning they were only curious and their requests were usually trivial. But after the battles of Bull Run and Antietam, Fredericksburg and Chancellorsville, the soldiers of Washington were changed. They hobbled about on crutches. They sat pale and

Lincoln's hastily drawn check to crippled negro who stopped him in a park.

thin in the parks, empty sleeves pinned to their breasts. And when they came to the White House it was to beg furloughs to see dying parents, or releases to support suffering families. Little cards and brief notes written for such men to proper authorities are treasured all over the country. But the total number of those he sent joyfully and thankfully away will never be known.

"See This Pittsburgh Boy"

Here is an example:

"Sec. of War, Please see this Pittsburgh boy. He is very young, and I shall be satisfied with whatever you do with him."

"A. LINCOLN."

"Aug. 21, 1863."

The "Pittsburgh boy" had enlisted at seventeen. He had long been ill with a fever and wanted a furlough. With the confidence every soldier had that Lincoln would help him, he slipped into the White House, by chance met the President and told his story.

One day Lincoln was stopped in a park by a negro with a pitiful story. The Emancipator did not stop to get his name but handed him a hastily written check drawn to the order of "colored man with one leg." Riggs & Company, of Washington, with whom the President banked, knew their customer and honored the unusual instrument.

When men raise one of their kind to be a hero in life, they straightway make him a demigod in death. Then comes a reaction from popular exaltation, and the same men gather all that was known about their idol to learn if he had feet of clay.

So it was with Lincoln, the Man of Mercy. And with every new document uncovered he passes more certainly to his niche in the shrine of national memory.

PREMIUM LIST FOR COUNTY FAIR WILL BE REVISED FEB. 25

The 1922 premium list of the Greene County Fair, which will be held August 1, 2, 3, and 4, will be revised at the all-day meeting of the Fair Board, to be held Saturday, Feb. 25, in the assembly room of the Court House.

If the people of Greene County wish to make any revisions, or if any of the live stock associations want to put on any special features, this is stated as the time to make them known to the board.

The following are the appointments of department heads: Speed, C. M. Austin; Horse department, Jesse Townsley; Cattle department, L. B. Harner; swine, J. H. Lackey; sheep department, Walter St. John; poultry, Thomas Faulkner; Needlework, painting, etc., Grant Miller; machinery and automobiles, W. C. Smith and N. N. Hunter; superintendent of gates, B. U. Bell, and Ernest Ireland, boys' and girls' club work, Ford Prince, and H. C. Aultman.

Those who have suggestions for the annual county show are urged to come to the board meeting. "The fair is the farmer's show window, it is an educational institution, therefore it must be clean, it must give to every man, woman and child that passes through its gates a broader view of things worth while, and make them take pride in the show," said one of the active members of the board, Friday.

PRISONER STARVES SELF IN ORDER TO ESCAPE FROM JAIL

Lima, O., Feb. 11.—Officers and posse of half a dozen counties, who searched all day for Harold Nierengarten, 20 years, indicted for murder, who escaped from Wapakoneta jail yesterday morning, failed to find any trace of the missing bell-boy and last night gave up the search until morning.

Mystery surrounds the escape of the youth from the jail. Sheriff Robert Ewing, of Auglaize County, believes that he gained liberty through a "grubhole" in the jail wall. This hole is five and a half inches high and 17 inches long.

This theory was strengthened when it was learned this afternoon that Nierengarten had been fasting for the last week. Already of slight build, it is believed he starved himself in order that he might force his body through the narrow opening.

The confessed slayer was to go on trial within a few days for the killing of Joseph S. Kershaw, of Lima, last November, when in a box car.

COLD WAVE NEAR CHICAGO

Chicago, Feb. 11.—The United States Weather Bureau yesterday afternoon issued a cold wave warning, predicting a temperature of 10 degrees above zero for Chicago and vicinity this morning.

COURT NEWS

Court Decision Favors Plaintiff

A decision favoring the plaintiffs has been handed down in common pleas court in case of Max M. Gugenheim, and Maurice H. Shott, doing business as the Southern Food Products Company against The Fuller company. The judgment allows claims of the plaintiff for \$200, with seven per cent interest from December 24, 1920 and \$20, with interest from December 24, 1920.

Estate Not Subject to Tax

The estate of William Johnson will not be subject to inheritance tax according to a probate court entry. The gross value of the estate was \$3,500, and the debts and costs of administration \$300, leaving \$3,200 for distribution. Ella Pippin Johnson, the widow is the sole beneficiary, but her succession is covered by \$5,000 exemption.

OPPOSITION FELT ON COURT RULING

Columbus, Feb. 11.—Opposition to the action of the state supreme court, in granting a 30 day stay of execution in the case of 17-year-old Samuel Purpera, Cleveland gangster has been voiced here by State Supreme Justice Wanamaker.

Young Purpera was to have been electrocuted at the penitentiary Friday morning because of conviction as an accomplice in the Sly-Panner payroll murders at Cleveland last year.

JOYCE FORTUNE MAY BE REDUCED AGAIN

Chicago, Feb. 11.—Another love affair may take another big slice of the Joyce lumber fortune.

This became known yesterday when Edward E. Esch explained why he had filed the praecipe of a suit for \$500,000 against David Gage Joyce, millionaire lumber man, whom he accuses of having stolen his wife.

Peggy Hopkins Joyce was the last to make an inroad on the Joyce family strong box.

It hasn't been long since David Joyce was discovered by his wife, who got \$50,000 in a lump and the income on \$200,000 as alimony.

Joyce and Mrs. Esch who recently divorced the man bringing the latest suit, are wintering in Miami. They are living only a block apart.

COPY PHOTOGRAPHED

Paris, Feb. 11.—The editorial staffs of the Paris editions of the New York Herald and the London Daily Mail issued a novel joint edition yesterday.

When their compositors walked out after rejection of the ultimatum for a 50 per cent increase in wages, the staffs of the two newspapers joined hands.

They brought out a joint edition today printed from photoreproduced plates of type written copy, the method being similar to that adopted by American magazines recently in a like emergency.

XENIA HIGH WINS OVER URBANA BY SCORE OF 60 TO 23

It rained field goals at the Rink Friday night, while Coach Jerry Katherman's Central High basketballers rolled up the highest score they have attained this year, humiliating Urbana High under a 60 to 23 defeat.

The game was a free-scoring exhibition of the famous indoor sport, with blue and white speed artists showering baskets from all angles, until the shower reached the proportions of a deluge, and fans were only interested in how terrible the massacre would be.

Urbana High, with a carefully selected, hand picked schedule and a total of ten victories to two defeats, was surprised and taken off its feet, before it was overwhelmed. Dazzling team work, brilliant shooting and deadly passing composed the tri-combination that shattered the hopes of the visitors.

Urbana started off in the lead with a foul goal, after four minutes of play, after one free shot, had been missed. Urbana's next contribution to the scorekeepers came seven minutes later or 11 minutes after the start of the game. In the meantime Gagner, Boxwell, Vannorsdall and Yeakley were swishing the net with aggravating regularity and the half ended with Xenia holding the long end of a 26 to 11 count.

The second half was worse. Although substitutes cluttered up the court, the scoring machine of the locals could not be halted and with the exception of foul shots, the visitors were not as lucky as during the first period. Captain Boxwell, the "grand old man" who has been off-color for the last two games, celebrated his return to form with ten baskets, while Yeakley alternating at guard and forward, managed to find time to shoot seven from the floor. Gagner's contribution was six fielders and a foul, including some pretty long shots, while Vannorsdall garnered five fielders, and "Dick" LeSourd, who has been out of the game all season with a broken ankle, celebrated his season's debut with a "horseshoe" shot from the center of the auditorium.

Although Douthett was out of the pastime for the evening, Currie ably filled his shoes at guard and the introduction of Reutinger and Confer into the pastime, showed that these lads have been learning something themselves. Coach Earl Prugh of Antioch College pleased the fans with his officiating. The lineup and summary:

Xenia—60 Urbana—23
Gagner L. F. Edmondson
Vannorsdall R. F. Wood
Boxwell (c) C. G. Evans
Yeakley L. G. Carey
Currie R. G. McConnell
Substitutions: Xenia—Reutinger for Currie, LeSourd for Gagner, Gagner for LeSourd, Currie for

Reutinger, Reutinger for Yeakley, Yeakley for Vannorsdall, Yeakley for Reutinger, Vannorsdall for Yeakley, Confer for Currie. Field goal: Gagner 6, Vannorsdall 5, Boxwell 10, Yeakley 7, LeSourd 1, Edmondson 3, Wood 2, Evans 4. Foul goals: Gagner 1, Yeakley 1, McConnell 5. Referee: Prugh, Ohio Wesleyan.

TO HAVE SPELLING MATCH

Athens, Feb. 11.—In order to settle a much-mooted question, Athens county will have a series of spelling bees during the remainder of the winter, County Superintendent Guy Dinamore has announced. The older folk contend that the youngsters today can not read, spell or write and that the newer educational systems are all wrong.

There will be spelling matches in all the districts. The winners will come to Athens in the spring to decide, in a county-wide meeting who is really the best speller in Athens county.

WANT MORE ROAD WORK

Nelsonville, Feb. 11.—In an effort to provide further work for needy coal miners in the Buchet-Murry City district, officials of Athens county and Nelsonville are endeavoring to secure more state road work. Authorization of repair work on several state roads is sought from the state highway commissioner by both Athens and Hocking counties. Hundreds of miners have been thus aided already this winter in the same district where there is much suffering because the mines are idle.

OIL WELL COMPLETED

Wooster, Feb. 11.—A company, locally financed, has completed an oil well on the Susan B. Fike farm, north of Wooster that started off with an initial production of 15 barrels daily. The well is several miles from other oil-producing territory.

PAINTERSVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Woods and family entertained to dinner Jan. 5, Mr. and Mrs. Powers Shaw and son, Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gotherman and daughter Ruth Anna, of Port William, Ohio.

Members and Friends Ivanhoe Lodge-No. 56, K. of P.

Do Not Forget the Big VALENTINE PARTY

Dancing and Cards
Tuesday, February 14th
McKAY'S ORCHESTRA

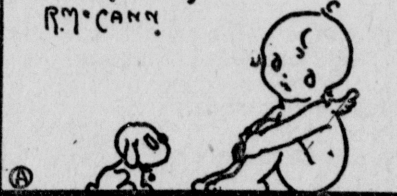
ORDER IS FORMED

Kenton, Feb. 11.—Masons are contemplating the organization of an order of DeMolay. This is an order for sons of members of the Masonic lodge who are not old enough to become Masons. The matter has been discussed by the Scottish Rite Club in Kenton.

An order of DeMolay with 86 members was organized in Marietta lodge Monday evening. The organization will be under the supervision of an advisor committee composed of members of Marion lodge No. 70, F. and A.

THE CHEERFUL CHERUB

"When I get rich" the children dream
With eyes on some far day.
And when they're old,
With eyes turned back:
"When I was rich" they say.
RYCANN



HAD THAT TIRED, WORN-OUT FEELING

Do you know that "awful tired feeling," languidness, lame or weak back, sore muscles, stiff or swollen joints, or rheumatic pains usually indicate kidney trouble? Foley Kidney Pills act promptly and effectively. Mrs. Roberta Lilly, 709 Alton St., Alton, Ill., writes: "For three years I had a tired, worn-out feeling. Various treatments failed. I began to improve on the second dose of Foley Kidney Pills and today I feel like new." Sayre & Hemphill.

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NOW TURN TO CLASSIFIED PAGE

Gazette and Republican's News Pictorial Page

Are Winters Less Severe? Twenty Years Ago It Was 10 Below

With the progress of time and events, the climate of this vicinity has also undergone a change, within the course of the past twenty years, judging by the files of the Gazette of February 1902.

While the people of Xenia and surrounding towns are enjoying a mild

winter, and basking in the sun similar to that of an April day, the weather of twenty years previous was quite the opposite.

Stories appearing in the papers of those days, tell of the extremely cold weather, the worst known in several years. Added to the unpleasantness was the large amount of sickness, and accidents. A coal shortage struck Xenia in February of that year, and coal wagons were seen working on Sunday, to supply the large demand, whenever the fuel was available. A correspondent of Port William on February 11, stated that "the question of fuel is perplexing, to many at this time, as the cold weather still continues, and the scarcity of coal is making the problem more serious." The first paragraph of the Wilberforce correspondence gave an idea of the weather, with the statement "The below zero, Whew!"

The deep snow and ice of that day, afforded many of the "good old times," and King street was the scene of a merry racing carnival almost every day. Fast horses were the chief center of sport, and the sleighing carnivals were an event among the city sportsmen. Each evening gay coasting parties assembled on the Monroe street viaduct, and the young people were entrained at very party, with a bob sled slide into the country.

Although recent winters have been marked as severe, the old fashioned winter, as known of twenty years ago, seems to be quite out of date.

WILBERFORCE

Miss Marie Woolbridge spent the week end with her parents in Dayton.

Mr. J. H. Finley of Dayton spent Tuesday with Misses Zula Brummitt, Luella Knox and Ursula Moats.

Mrs. Hugh Carr of Cincinnati was the guest of Mrs. Arrena G. Varber, the registered nurse of Tawawa Hospital.

Miss Emma Page was called to Cincinnati the last of the week by the illness of her mother.

Mrs. William Walker of Springfield was the guest of Mrs. Armina Young Wednesday.

The Ladies of the Mite Missionary Society gave a surprise party on Mrs. M. E. Reed Wednesday night.

The University Varsity Girls' Basketball team played the Springfield "Y" girls Monday night and won by a score of 16 to 13.

Mr. John Moses, Director of Agriculture, Southland College, Ark., was the guest of Mr. Norman Shields Wednesday afternoon.

Major J. E. Green motored to Springfield and Richmond, Ind., Sunday to visit the mother and sister of Mrs. Green who is spending the winter in Dayton, Fla.

Mr. A. W. Asbury, a former resident of the village and for several years in charge of Carnegie Library visited friends Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Phiffer, representing the Dum Publishing Co., of Columbus, visited the Normal Department Tuesday. They completed arrangements to install a special library on "Helps for Elementary Teachers."

The Berry Quartette composed of Misses Luella Knox, Inez Walker, Mildred Singer and Pauline Jackson went to Urbana, Ohio, Sunday and gave a concert in the A. M. E. Church.

Major F. J. Osterman at one time with the training camp at Wilberforce during the war, with headquarters in Fort Benjamin Harrison, Ind., inspected the military department of the school Wednesday.

Dr. W. E. B. DuBois, of New York City, editor of the Crisis, the official organ of the N. A. C. P., who delivered a series of lectures in the Dayton public schools and for local branches of the N. A. C. P. in Cincinnati, Louisville, Covington, Ky., and other cities in the south, visited Mrs. Ada Young, Thursday.

Dr. DuBois was a personal friend of the late Col. Charles Young and will soon publish a series of articles in The Crisis on Col. Young's work in the army while in this country and abroad.

Mrs. Doris Clark, the wife of Rev. A. A. Clark, who recently moved to Cleveland, met with a very serious accident the first of the week. She started from her residence to attend a meeting, fell on the sidewalk and broke her leg in two places. She was removed to the hospital and word comes that she is doing as well as could be expected under the circumstances.

Rev. A. L. Brown, of the College Department, pastor of the St. Paul A. M. E. Church in London, Ohio, gave a McKinley and Allen banquet Tuesday night Supt. W. M. Berry was one of the speakers and talked on "Community Work." The other speakers were Senator Chas. Brand of Urbana, Rep. C. C. Crabb and Judge J. E. Slayer.

Dr. Roscoe Brown, director of the Health Department, Washington, D. C. gave a talk on "Essentials of Good Health" to the student body Wednesday evening.

The Commercial Club was entertained Saturday afternoon in the Assembly Hall of Arnett by the Junior girls of the Commercial Department, residing in that building. The room was beautifully decorated with evergreens and class colors.

Mrs. W. M. Berry, for several years an instructor in Chaney Institute, Pa., was the principal speaker. The Berry Quartette rendered several selections. After the program the young ladies served hot cocoa and wafers and presented unique baskets of various colors filled with choice candies.

WEDDING ON BEACH IS PERFORMED IN WEST



Here is something new in nuptials. A California miss and her lover, wishing to be different arranged to have the

knotted on the beach near Los Angeles which they both frequented during the days of their courtship. The couple,

Mr. and Mrs. Del Carmen, were married by the Reverend Dr. C. D. Cole.

RUSSIAN PROFESSOR ESCAPES BOLSHEVIK VENGEANCE

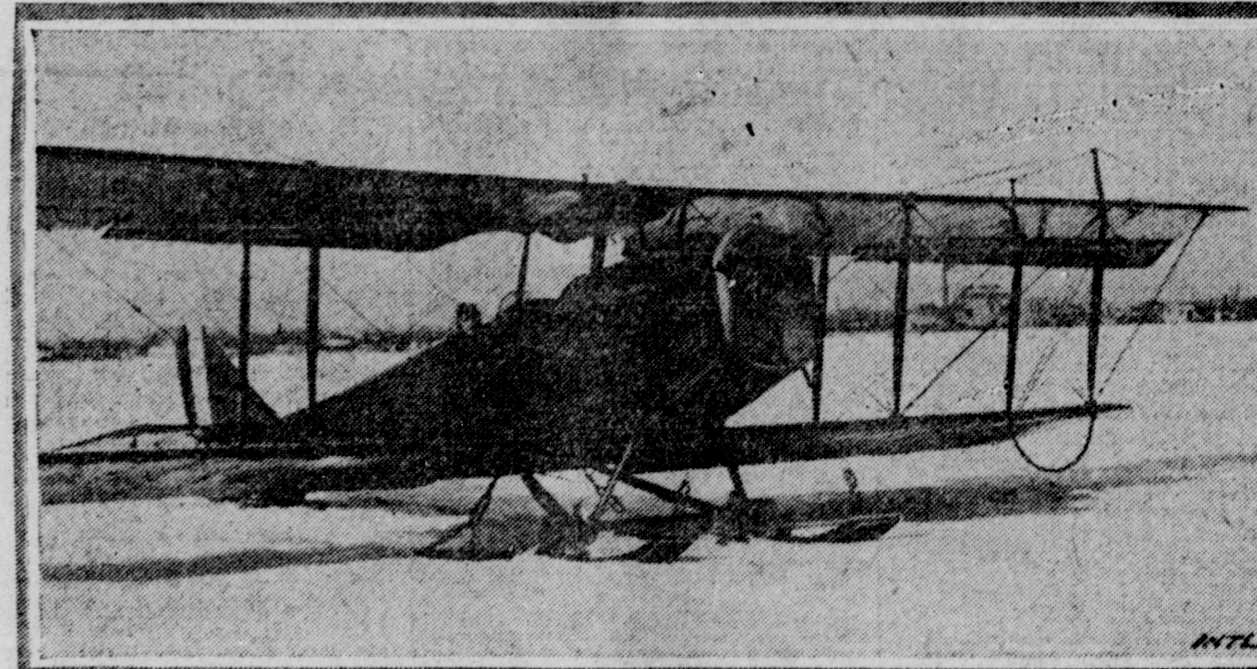


Professor Boldyreff, formerly of the Imperial University of Kasan and his family who have arrived at San Francisco, after

a flight through Russia to Vladivostok, where they shook off their Bolsheviki pursuers. The Professor will join the fac-

ulty of the Western Medical College at Cleveland. Left to right are Alexander, Tateyana, Ephraim, Professor Boldyreff, Mme Boldyreff and John.

SKIING DEVICE ON AIRPLANE AIDS LANDING

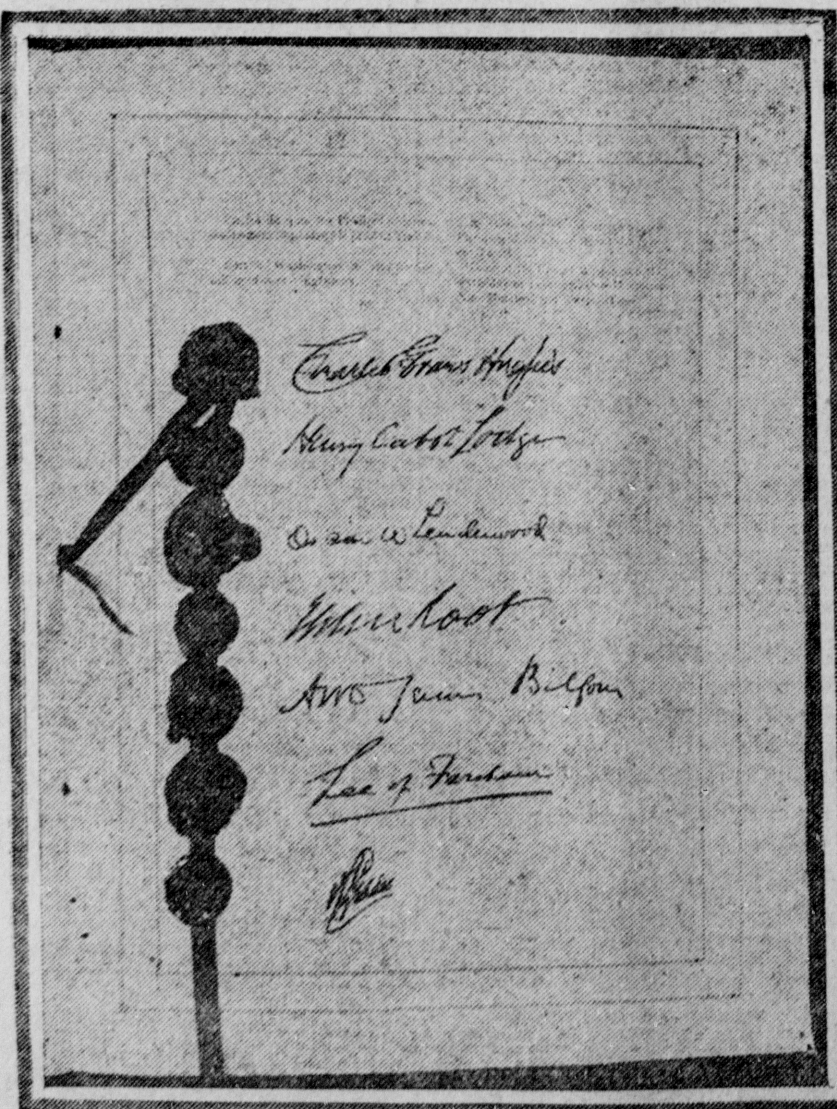


Snow-covered fields will no longer be a handicap for airplane flights or landing. Here is the Curtis plane that recently tried out at Bolling

Field, lands on skis, instead of the customary inflated tires. The attached skis are very similar to those used for general skiing.

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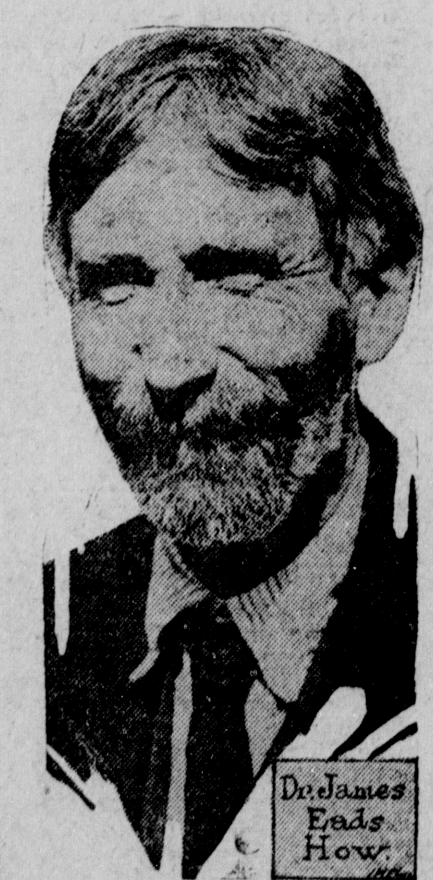
SIGNATURES ON HISTORIC NAVAL TREATY



Here are the American and British signatures to the ten-year naval holiday treaty, proposed by the American delegates and accepted by the dele-

gates of five powers. The signatures of the American delegates are shown, with their seals attached. The treaty is expected to mark a new epoch in the history of the world.

Wealthy Hobo Spending Winter In West.



Dr. James Eads How, known far and wide as the "millionaire hobo," is now in San Diego, California spending the winter months in that sunny clime, which is a haven for unemployed who can and who cannot afford to spend the winter there. In San Diego a committee is being formed for the purpose of starting a "How Hobo College."

PRETTY GIRL FILMS SAN FRANCISCO FROM SKY



Miss Maxine Dicks. NTL.

Miss Maxine Dicks, of Los Angeles, said to be the only aviatrix-camera-women in the world is engaged in making a panoramic and birds-eye view

of San Francisco. Her movie camera is attached to a tour-nelle on a giant bombing plane. Mayor Rolph is interested in the filming of the city.

CARUSO'S BABY TO CHOOSE OWN CAREER.



Little Gloria Caruso, daughter of the world-famous tenor who died recently, already shows an inclination to music. Mrs. Caruso says she will ex-

ert no influence to choose a career for her daughter, but will allow Gloria—that is, when she is old enough—to make her own selection.

RELIEF WORKERS SAVE DANCER'S LIFE



Mme. Mordkin and her husband, famous Russian dancers. The Near East Relief saved her

life when she was found starving in Tiflis, where they were performing for fifty cents a month.

O. S. & S. O. HOME PUPILS ATTEND REVIVAL MEETING

Over one hundred pupils of the O. S. and S. O. Home, attended the services at the First M. E. Church Friday night. The boys and girls attended in a body, and aided in the services of the evening.

A special musical program was in charge of Mr. Wieand, Miss Leona Keller offering a solo, "Holy City," the choir taking part in the remainder of the program.

Following Dr. Scott's sermon, the first invitation was made, and a large response was given.

Saturday night, the "Booster Choir" composed of the young people of the church, will take part in the services. At the Sunday School services plans will be made for "Sunday School Night," to be held next Friday night. The evangelistic program will be followed in the morning and evening Sunday. At six o'clock, a meeting, open to young people will be held, in charge of Mr. Wieand.

STOLE PURSE HE REPORTS TO POLICE

C. F. Bracelin, of this city, reported to Dayton police, Friday, that a colored man grabbed a purse containing \$30 from his hand, Friday afternoon, and fled. Bracelin told police he hired the man to assist him load a wagon with coal at Edison and Conover streets. When he took out his purse to pay the man, Bracelin said, he grabbed it and ran.

SOCIETY

RECEIVE GUESTS FOR CARDS, FRIDAY

Honoring their houseguest, Mrs. Henry Frisch, of New York City, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Adair, received a company of twenty-four guests at their home, on North Galloway Street, Friday evening, for 500.

The prize score holders of the evening were Mrs. Walter R. Harner, and Mr. Paul B. Yockey. A prettily appointed two course luncheon was served late in the evening.

QUIETLY MARRIED SATURDAY MORNING

Miss Stella L. Sidenstick, R. D. 2, Yellow Springs, and Mr. Guy V. Matson, R. D. 2, Osborn, were quietly united in marriage at the parsonage of the Presbyterian Church, the Rev. William H. Tilford, pastor of that church officiating, Saturday morning, at eleven-thirty o'clock.

There were no attendants, and Mr. and Mrs. Matson, left immediately for their home in Osborn.

CARD CLUB IS ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Lee Ledbetter, entertained at four tables of five hundred at her home on Hill Street, Friday evening, her guests being members of her card club.

A salad course was served late in the evening.

J. L. Alman, of the Hercules Powder Company, was in Columbus, Friday, on business.

Miss Mary Crow, daughter of D. E. Crow, of this city, who is employed in the paymaster's department, of the National Cash Register Company, of Dayton, has been selected as a member of the company's advisory board. The members of the board, will leave Saturday night for a two weeks' educational tour of the principal eastern cities, including Buffalo, Niagara Falls, Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Washington, and Pittsburgh.

Richard, junior, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bennington has been ill for several days.

WARNING!

Be careful what you take for a cold or cough. Remember that Father John's Medicine is absolutely free from dangerous drugs, and has had more than sixty-five years' success for colds and throat troubles.

IF YOU WANT WHAT YOU WANT WHEN YOU WANT IT, USE GAZETTE WANT ADS

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Lost and Found

LOST AUTO license tag No. 919897. Leave at Gazette. 2-11

LOST A WOOLLEN glove, Either E. Main or Market St. Finder return to Bertha Hyman. 2-11

LOST—Pocketbook somewhere in city leave at Gazette office. Recede reward. 2-14

Wanted to Rent

WANTED 2 FURNISHED rooms for light housekeeping by young married couple. Address M. R. Gazette. 2-11

WANTED—One unfurnished room, E. E. care Gazette. 2-14

WANTED TO RENT farm on thirds, experienced, O. H. care Gazette. 2-13

Wanted to Buy

WANTED—Ten young, husky, gentle mules. Call E. S. Hamilton, Hagar Paper Mill, Cedarville. 2-14

WANTED—More loose straw. We need 30 tons a day. Call E. S. Hamilton, straw buyer, Hagar Paper Mill, Cedarville. 2-24

Professional

AUCTIONEER—James Laurens, Xenia, Route 4, Bell Phone 40123. 2-21

Special Notices

FOR SALE—A well established and paying garage business. Splendid location. A small capital will handle. Box 5, care Gazette. 2-11

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For Sale Miscellaneous

FOR SALE—Used Tires all sizes, (30x2 to 37x5) \$2.50 up. Xenia Vulcanizing Co., Main and Whiteman. 3-31-22

WANTED TO SELL—All grades of Potomac coal at a bargain. Call or see us. The DeWine Milling Co., Main Office, Detroit and Second. 2-15

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Business Chances

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I have several farms on the bargain counter, that can be financed and March possession can yet be given.

An account of leaving the city I have a complete modern house for sale as an investment or home or both, right up town, too. Priced right to get away quick.

\$2,600 buys a six room house, garage, electric lights, located on paved street, both waters, cellar house in good condition. Good terms.

CUSTIS

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Money to Loan

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LONG & MARSHALL, Real Estate Men. We sell or buy your farm properties. We will loan you money See us. 113 South Detroit St. Gazette Building. Both phones. 5-1-2219

LOANS ON EVERYTHING—Notes and bonds bought. Farms houses and lots for sale. John Harbino, Allen Building. Telephone. 11-30-22

Auction Sales

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FARMERS ATTENTION—The wise farmer will not wait until next year to have an auction sale of farm machinery and other farm equipment. We can easily sell same piece by piece at a better price, by inserting a for sale ad, under the heading "Farm Equipment" at the small cost of one cent a word. Come in and we will write your ad for you at The Gazette Office. 1-24-22

PUBLIC SALE—Feb. 14, at 10 a. m., at Greeny Poultry Farm Grounds, 50 Big Type Poland China bred sows. Brent Woodmansee, auctioneer. Lunch on ground. Greene Co. Big Type P. Association. 1-24-22

PUBLIC SALE—Feb. 15th at 10:00 a. m. on the I. T. Cummins farm, 1 mile south of Xenia on Wilmington pike. 2 head of horses, 13 sheep, farming implements, hay fodder and corn. Auctioneers Grieve and Taylor. Tom Long, Clerk. Lunch. Carle and Cummins. 1-24-22

PUBLIC SALE—Feb. 15th at 10 sharp a. m. residence 1-2 miles Southeast of Bellbrook and 3 miles west of Springfield, on road between Bellbrook and Springfield, Va. pike and Waynesville road. 4 horses, 6 head of cattle, 40 hogs, farm implements, 4-cyl. Moline tractor and grain, harness, chickens, household goods, and many miscellaneous articles. Auctioneers Earl A. Kogler and Otto Zink, clerk. Lewis Stewart, Lunch by ladies of Mt. Zion church. J. W. Dice. 1-24-22

PUBLIC SALE—Feb. 16, at 10 a. m., sharp at my residence on the Nancy Cline farm, one-half mile south-west of Alpha, on the Alpha and Bellbrook road. Two horses, 13 head of cattle, 12 head of hogs, 40 R. I. R. hens, 25 white Wyandotte hens, pure bred farm implements, harness, household goods and many small articles. Auctioneers Earl A. Kogler and Otto Zink, clerk. Lewis Stewart, Lunch by ladies of Mt. Zion church. J. W. Dice. 1-24-22

PUBLIC SALE—Feb. 17th 10:00 a. m. at Greene Lawn Stock Farm. 2 1-2 miles south of Cedarville and 4 1-2 miles north of Xenia. On the Cross Roads school house on the Federal pike. 7 horses, 15 cattle, 50 sheep, 50 hogs, farm implements, household goods, harness, articles. Titus, Auctioneer. Hastings and Trout, Clerks. Lunch. George H. Creswell. 1-24-22

PUBLIC SALE—Feb. 17th at 10:00 a. m. at my residence on the Xenia and New Jasper pike. 2 1-2 miles of Xenia town and 3 miles E. of New Jasper. Goods sold without limit or reserve. 12 head of horses, 2 cows, 25 head of hogs, farm implements, miscellaneous articles, harness, hay and grain. Auctioneers Grieve and Taylor, Clerk Taylor, Clerk. Lunch on ground. C. C. BROWN. 1-24-22

PUBLIC SALE—Feb. 17, at 12:30 p. m., at Beaverdale farm, 3 miles north of Alpha, on the Beaver Valley road, 50 bred sows, registered. Big type Poland Chinas. Auct. Brent Woodmansee. Lunch by Beaver Garage. GERLAUGH & SHAWHAN. 1-24-22

PUBLIC SALE—February 20th at 10:00 a. m. at my residence on the farm known as the Samuel Fields farm on the road laying between the Xenia town-Xenia pike and the Xenia town-Cedarville road, 9 miles E. of Xenia 4 miles S. of Cedarville, and 3-4 mile from Otis Wolford's farm. 1 head of horses, 6 head of cattle, 13 head of hogs, harness, farming implements, miscellaneous articles. Lunch by Ladies of Xenia Friends Church. Auctioneer, Carl Taylor, Clerk, H. C. Fisher. F. M. FIELDS. 1-24-22

PUBLIC SALE—Feb. 20th at 12:00 noon at my residence on the Upper Bellbrook pike 2 1-2 miles W. of Xenia, on what is known as the Sordum plant and Broom Shop farm. 2 milk cows, mare, 7 hogs, farm implements, tools, sorghum, two gas engines, 400 head of hogs, 400 head of sheep. Auctioneers Lamar Titus, Howard Titus and J. L. Mead, Clerks J. E. Hastings and Robt. Elder. Lunch by Ladies Aid of Cedarville OSCAR L. SMITH, W. J. FRAME, R. C. RITENOUR. 1-24-22

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DEPUTY INCOME TAX COLLECTORS TO VISIT COUNTY ON FEB. 15

During the income tax filing period, Chas. M. Dean, Collector of Internal Revenue, will send deputies to various points throughout the First District of Ohio to assist taxpayers in making their returns and also to receive returns.

These deputies will visit almost every section of the various counties comprising the First District.

Taxpayers are urged to file their returns as early as possible. If they have their returns ready now, they need not wait, but should mail them to the Collector of Internal Revenue at Cincinnati. Blank returns can be secured from the Collector's Office or any of the Branch Offices.

Heavy penalties are provided for failure to file returns on time. The last date on which a return can be filed without penalty is March 15th.

Greene County will be visited by Collector Dean's deputies between Feb. 15 and March 15, at the following places:

Cedarville, Exchange Bank, Feb. 15 and 16.

Jamestown, Town Hall, March 1 and 2.

Bowersville, Bowersville Bank, March 3.

Yellow Springs, Miami Deposit Bank, March 4.

Xenia, Post Office Bldg. March 1 and 7 inc.

Spring Valley, Town Hall March 8.

Xenia, Post Office Bldg. March 9 to 15 inc.

Deputy Collector C. G. Marker of Wilmington and A. M. C. Organ of this city will take care of this county.

TELLS POLICE HIS HOME WAS ROBBED

C. W. Schmidt, Springfield florist, residing on the Yellow Springs road, several miles south of the Springfield corporation line, reported to the Springfield police, Friday, that his home had been entered and looted of jewelry and other articles valued at \$235, Thursday night.

Entrance to the house according to Schmidt, was gained by means of a window between 6:45 and 12 o'clock, while the family was away. Two women's watches, valued at \$50; an Ingersoll watch, valued at \$3; a gold lavalliere, set with six diamonds, valued at \$150; a revolver valued at \$12 and a Savage rifle valued at \$20, were among the loot taken.

W. G. MAXWELL IS CALLED BY DEATH

William G. Maxwell, 80, retired farmer and one of the pioneer residents of Clark county, died Thursday afternoon, at the home of his son Oliver Maxwell, at Pleasant Grove, death being caused by a complication of diseases.

Mr. Maxwell had been suffering for several months but was taken seriously ill, Thursday, death resulting in a few hours.

He leaves six daughters, Mrs. Creighton Little, of Pitchin; Mrs. Andrew Randall, of this city; Mrs. Sarah Beuser, of Beattytown; Mrs. Earl Coss, of South Charleston; Mrs. Lewis Wheeler and Mrs. Oscar Cox, of Springfield. Three sons also survive, Thomas and Robert Maxwell, of Springfield, and James, of Pitchin. He also leaves one sister, Mrs. William Coon, of Pitchin.

Funeral services were held Saturday at 10 o'clock at the Pleasant Grove Church, with burial at the Pleasant Grove cemetery.

CHURCH NOTICES

FIRST REFORMED CHURCH
Can you divide with us the Lord's Day and give us one hour, at the Men's Bible Class from 9:30 to 10:30 o'clock, to frankly discuss an important religious question? Morning divine worship at 10:30. Topic of sermon "Is Fellowship with God a Practical Experience, or is it Ideal Only?" The Group Evangelistic service at 7 p. m. when the pastor, the Rev. E. W. Middleton will bring the message. There will be special music. The Wednesday evening prayer service at 7:30.

YELLOW SPRINGS PRESBYTERIAN
9 a. m. Bible School. 10:20 a. m. Public worship. Sermon by the pastor, Dr. T. J. Gaher on "An Old Testament Story with a Lesson for the New Day." 5:30 p. m. Intermediate C. E. 6 p. m. Senior C. E. Leader, Kenneth Welch. Wednesday 7 p. m. Midweek service. Thursday 2 p. m. W. M. S. On the 26th inst. we shall begin our special evangelistic services to continue until March 5th. Rev. J. R. Sillars, of Springfield will be the preacher. Prepare—Work—Pray—Expect.

DON'T NEGLECT A COLD
Mothers, don't let colds get under way; at the first cough or sniffle rub Musterole on the throat and chest.

Musterole is a pure, white ointment, made with oil of mustard. It draws out congestion, relieves soreness, does all the work of the good old-fashioned mustard plaster in a gentler way, without the blister.

Keep a jar handy for all emergencies, it may prevent pneumonia in your home. 35¢ & 65¢ in jars & tubes; hospital size, \$3.50.

BETTER THAN A MUSTARD PLASTER

MUSTEROLE
WILL NOT BLISTER

BRINGING UP FATHER

CIGAR STORE.

I MUST HAVE A SMOKE. BUT I HATE TO GO IN THIS STORE FOR IT.

I WANT A GOOD CIGAR. WILL YOU HAVE TO SEND OUT FOR IT?

CERTAINLY NOT. I HAVE SOME FINE BRANDS.

I THOUGHT I WUZ BRANDON FROM THE LAST ONE I GOT HERE.

YOU JUST TRY THIS ONE. YOU'LL NEVER GET BETTER.

THAT'S WHAT YOU SAID THE LAST TIME AND I'M NOT BETTER YET!

COMING EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD

SATURDAY—G. A. R. W. B. C. G. A. R. Party.

MONDAY—D. of P. Modern Woodmen. Queen Esther Society—1st M. E.

TUESDAY—Xenia—L. O. O. F. Obedient—D. of A. Mooseheart Legion. O. E. S. K. of P. Dance. Westminster Guild. St. Bridget's Social.

WEDNESDAY—Kiwans. J. O. U. A. M. K. of P. L. O. O. M. Red Men. Rebekahs. Xenia—D. of A.

THURSDAY—Pride of Xenia Club. Eagles. D. of V. Rotary Club.

BOY SCOUTS WILL CELEBRATE NATIONAL PROGRAM SUNDAY

Local Troop No. 1, Boy Scouts of America will celebrate National Scout Sunday at the Presbyterian Church at 10:30 a. m.

The Scout movement was revived under the leadership of Leigh Nisbett several months ago. The men of the Presbyterian Church forming the Troop Committee and backing the Scouts with a contribution.

"I think the local scouts have made remarkable progress," said Scout Master Nisbett. "No similar bunch of boys are more enthusiastic and put more pep into the meetings." Dr. Gallows has been instructing the Scouts in First Aid work and the boys are making unusual progress.

The troop is divided into three Patrols. The Wolf, the Flying Eagle and the Fox as emblems. The Scout room is decorated with the Totem Pole and Shields setting forth the accomplishments of each Scout. Horace Smith helps, as assistant Scout Master.

The boys will meet at the Sunday School hour Sunday and conduct the closing exercises of the School and then will form with the Scouts from other churches and march in a body to the Church Services. A special Address will be given by Mr. Tifford pastor of the Church and member of the troop committee.

EAST END NEWS

Zion Baptist Church, G. M. Beaton, pastor. 9:30 Sunday School. 10:45 Sermon by Deacon J. H. Harris. 6 p. m. B. Y. P. U. 7 p. m. Special illustrated sermon. Being Feb. 12. The service will carry a patriotic air.

Third Baptist Church, A. McClintock Howe, minister. 10:45 a. m. Worship and sermon. Immediately after the morning sermon Holy Communion. 6:30 p. m. B. Y. P. U. Mrs. Elizabeth Simms, President. This service will be under the auspices of group number two, Mr. Roosevelt McKinney leader. 7:45 p. m. Evangelistic services. The pastor will preach aided by other ministers. A cordial invitation is extended to the public. Special music will be rendered.

PUBLIC SALE

Having rented the farm, we will sell at public auction, on the farm known as the J. C. Earley farm, one mile northeast of Port William, on the Jamestown pike, on

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 16

Beginning at 9:30 A. M., the following property:

15—HEAD OF HORSES—15
Team gray mares; team gray horses; black mare. Earle Stryker will also sell 10 head of horses.

52—HEAD OF CATTLE—52
MILCH COWS—Three cows, calf by side; 2 springers; 2 cows giving good flow of milk; 16 head of Hereford and Shorthorns coming fresh soon. Also 4 Jersey heifers; 24 yearling calves; Hereford bull, registered.

116—HEAD OF HOGS—116
Thirty-three registered Hampshire sows, to farrow soon; 17 Hampshire gilts eligible to registry, will furnish papers for same; 3 registered boars, 60 fall pigs.

2—TRACTORS—2
Fordson Tractor 1919 model. Avery Motor Cultivator and planter.

FARMING IMPLEMENTS
Truck wagon with flat top; McCormick corn binder; McCormick hay rake; Thomas Steele Royal hay tedder; single row cultivator; single shovel plow; 5 foot McCormick mower; 6 foot steel tank; Nisco manure spreader and straw spreader; hog fountain; wood hog trough; 2 bottom tractor plows; clover bunker; Clarke hog feeder; 125 ton Silo; 1 horse cultivator; feed cooker; hog boxes; hog oilers; hog house; McCormick 4 roll corn husker; oil house; sides harness comp; riding saddle; steel drums; gas tanks; barrels; drags; 8 foot McCormick wheat binder; forks; shovels; tank heater; plow wheels; 12-7 Thomas fertilizer drill; Moline 2 row cultivator; Cassidy gang plow; 50 tooth spike harrow; Black Hawk planter; cultipacker; double disc harrow; 2 feed grinders; buzz saw; pair dehorners; portable corn crib; Empire cream separator; 2 heating stoves, etc.

Some mixed hay.

TERMS—Cash, or note for six months.

F. L. EARLEY
GRIEVE & TAYLOR, Auctioneers.

Efficient Housekeeping

BY Laura A. Kirkman

MORE RECIPES FOR YOUR CARD INDEX

The best way to keep one's recipes, whether they be cut from a newspaper or written by hand, is in a card index file. If you do not wish to expend money on one of the regular drawers that manufacturers make to hold these cards, use a substantial shoe box, making the index cards yourself by cutting large cards from cardboard and writing upon the tops of these (the tops should be cut irregularly, so that they will rise above the cards containing the recipes) such divisions as "Breads," "Cakes," "Desserts," etc. Then buy a package of white, lined file cards such as are used in offices and either write or paste your recipes upon them. Your recipe file will not be complete without the following:

Nut Bread: Sift together 3 cups of white bread flour, 1 cup of graham flour, 4 teaspoons of baking powder and 1 teaspoon of salt. Stir into this 1-1/2 cups of milk which has been mixed with 1-2 cup of sugar and 1 beaten egg. Mix well, then add 1-2 cups of chopped nut-meats—any kind. Let rise 3-4 of a hour and bake in a moderate oven for 45 minutes.

Orange Charlotte: Soak 1-1/2 tablespoons of granulated gelatin in 1-3 cup of cold water until soft, then dissolve it in 1-2 cup of boiling water. Strain, add 1 cup of sugar, 3 tablespoons of lemon juice, 1 cup of both juice and pulp of oranges, and chill in a pan of ice water. When quite thick, beat until frothy, then add the whites of 3 eggs stiffly whipped, and fold in 2 cups of cream which is also stiffly whipped. Line a mold with sections of oranges, turn this mixture into it, smooth evenly, and chill. When ready to serve, top with more whipped cream. Fine for a guest dinner dessert. This charlotte can be made with almost any juicy fruit, using juice and pulp, as well as the solid parts which line the mold.

Chicken Souffle: 2 cups scalded milk, 1-3 cup butter, 1-3 cup flour, 1 teaspoon salt, a dash of pepper, 1-2 cup stale bread crumbs, 2 cups cold cooked chicken finely chopped, yolks of 3 eggs well beaten, parsley, and the whites of 3 eggs stiffly beaten. Make a sauce of the first five ingredients,

add the bread crumbs and cook 2 minutes; then remove from fire, add the chicken, chopped parsley, egg-yolks, and fold in the whites. Turn all into a buttered pudding dish and bake 35 minutes in a slow oven.

Custard Souffle: Melt 3 tablespoons of butter and rub into it 1-4 cup of flour; add 1 cup of scalded milk gradually and stir till thickened, then pour it on the beaten yolks of 4 eggs and add 1-4 cup of sugar. Cook slightly, fold in the egg-whites which have been stiffly beaten, turn all into a buttered dish and bake 35 minutes in a slow oven.

Jellied Chicken: Cover a 4-pound fowl with 2 quarts of cold water and add 4 slices of carrot, 1 onion, 2 stalks of celery, a bit of bay leaf, 1-2 teaspoon of pepper and 1 tablespoon of salt. Bring to a boil quickly and let simmer until the meat is tender. Then remove meat from bones and chop it. Let the stock cook down until reduced to 1 cupful, cool it, and remove all the fat. Soak 1 teaspoon of granulated gelatin in 1 teaspoon of cold water and dissolve the gelatin in the reheated stock. Add this gelatin stock mixture to the chopped meat and season to taste with salt, pepper, celery salt, lemon juice and onion juice. Pack solidly into a buttered one-pound baking can and chill thoroughly. Remove from the can and cut in thin slices.

APARTMENT HOUSE OPENED

Amherst, Feb. 11.—Amherst residents have opened the Amherst Apartments, a \$250,000 building with 86 suits, at Orlando, Florida, where many Amherst citizens spend the winter months.

"To our hostess! Everyone must surely drink to her."

HELEN HUNTER'S HUSBAND

BY JANE PHELPS

HELEN BECOMES ILL AT A PARTY CHAPTER 37

As Horace Barnes said, it was a surprise to see Jack Hunter. He, at least had not expected him.

"Barnes would have preferred I had not come," Jack said to himself, now glad he had allowed Helen to persuade him.

"All find your places at the table," the hostess remarked. "You're to be my escort, Mr. Hunter," she slipped her hand through Jack's arm.

"Look out Hunter, she's the worst vamp in town!" Mr. Layton called from across the room. Jack only smiled and tried to look pleased. Perhaps if Helen saw other women thought him worth while she would care more about him—take more pains to make him and his home happy.

All through the dinner Gertrude Langdon chatted and laughed with Hunter, to the exclusion of the man on her left. At first Jack answered in monosyllables, then as the dinner progressed he warmed up, a feeling of recklessness coming over him. What did it matter? Why not enjoy himself? Helen was flirting outrageously with Barnes—or it looked so to Jack. He could flirt too, he'd show her.

It was a gay party, the gayety increased by a bunch which Barnes declared had a "good kick." Jack looked at Helen, trying to caution her by his glance. Neither of the maver drank anything, and as he saw Helen raise her glass and take just a sip of the punch he tried to warn her. Barnes saw, him plainly, although Helen did not. He spoke, looking directly at Hunter:

"To our hostess! Everyone must surely drink to her."

Helen drank with the rest, while Jack simply raised his glass without touching his lips to it. Helen had only taken a very little of the punch, although from where Jack sat he could not see this.

The dinner over they danced and played cards. Conversation, save at table, seemed to be a lost art among Helen's friends. It was after midnight when Helen expressed a desire to go home.

"I have a dreadful headache," she explained when they declared she would break up the party, "the rest of you don't have to go because I do."

While he was really enjoying himself in a way, Jack was glad to go. He was tired, his emotional reactions of the last few days; his feeling of bewilderment, almost abuse because of Helen's extravagance, all combined to make him feel he needed sleep and rest.

When they reached home Helen was really suffering.

"I tried to tell you not to drink that punch," Jack said as he put a cold cloth on her head.

"I guess I'm not going to be a stiff and spoil the fun. If one goes to parties they have to do as the others do."

"I had nothing to drink, Helen. I wish you would promise me not to take anything again. I—"

"Oh, stop talking! My head is just bursting. Can't you go to the drug store and get me something?"

Without a word Jack put on his coat and went out. He sighed as he closed the hall door. Now that the excitement was over all his old weariness returned, exaggerated.

Then too he was really worried about Helen's actions. While he was

nothing of a sport, he knew well that when people drank, even a little—especially when not accustomed to it—they said and did things they would never think of doing or saying otherwise. He was not overly pleased with some of Helen's friends. He hated to think she might grow like them.

He got some powders the druggist recommended and hurried back. Helen was still groaning, and after she had taken one he helped her to bed.

"I shan't go to that affair Barnes is going to give, neither shall Helen," he said to himself before he slept. It will be another party of the same kind, and we can't stand the pace."

In the morning Helen was pale and languid. She drank the coffee he prepared, and then, as he was about to leave, called:

"We'll go somewhere for dinner tonight. I'll stay in bed until I feel better, then meet you down town."

"I'll come home and if you aren't feeling well enough to get dinner, I will, or we'll go to that little restaurant around the corner. I'm very tired and want to get to bed early."

"What an old stogy you are!"

Tomorrow—A Day in Bed Restores Helen.

SENATOR UNDERWOOD ILL

Washington, Feb. 11.—Senator Underwood, Democratic floor leader in the senate and an American delegate to the recent arms conference, was confined to his home with what was described as a severe bronchial cold. His condition last night was said not to be serious, but it occasioned some concern on the part of his family and friends.



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